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NEW STORE. FRESH GOODS.

CRAMER'S Popular Variety Store

New line of winter Coats and Capes. Elegant in texture and make. Newest styles in Fancy Dress patterns. Fine line of Ready-made Clothing of the best manufacture.

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Tinware, Glassware, Silverware, Dishes, by sets, One hundred piece Dinner and Tea Sets, Crockery, Lamps, Lanterns, Clocks, Table Oil Cloth, Clothes Wringers, Window Shades, Wall Paper, Sewing Machines,

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We assert that our showing of Dress Goods for Autumn wear is without a peer in the matter of variety and refined selection—a claim that is supported by a volume of business which is wholly unprecedented and is still rapidly growing. Not only are these offerings superior, but the prices are most favorable. These novelties must be seen to be appreciated.

Fall Capes and Jackets



This department is unusually active, and purchasers are reaping the benefit of the forehand methods which gave us a large stock of Jackets and Capes for this season's trade, at prices extremely low for first-class garments.

Fashion has been kind in her plans this fall. Her decree seldom bends with economy; but for once the two are yoke mates.

The latest Fall Styles are here at the LOW prices that have made this department so well known.

BE SURE AND COME IN EARLY.

M. C. TULIS.

LOCAL NOTICES.

For pure groceries go to M. C. Tulis'. Good rooms to rent. Inquire of M. C. Tulis. 33-2t

Fine line of fall and early winter underwear at N. Seger's.

SACRIFICE sale in clothing at N. Seger's, this week.

N. SEGER announces a sacrifice sale of men's clothing for the balance of this week. Great stock; great bargains.

LAST CHANCE.—This week will close our penny photograph offer. Come along. J. B. SCHRIEVER.

LADIES! clean your kid gloves with Miller's Glovine, for sale only by Balcom & Lloyd, headquarters for kid gloves and the famous Dartmouth gloves; all the latest shades. 5-ly

\$2.00 CABINETS.—We have a few of those Ivoryette finish cards left yet and will continue making \$2.00 cabinets as long as stock lasts, so come early. 32-tf J. B. SCHRIEVER.

SEGER's clothing house on Allegheny Avenue was scene of a great slaughter—in prices—last week when Mr. Seger reduced the prices on his entire stock of men's and boys' clothing.

A MEASURING SOCIAL will be given under the auspices of the C. E. society of the Presbyterian church, at the residence of the R. R. McQuay, Friday evening, Oct. 27, 1899. During the evening there will be held a Waterman pen contest. 34-2t

DON'T MISS IT.—The recitals at the Baptist church next Monday evening by Rosa d'Erima should not be missed by our citizens. They are well spoken of by all who have heard them. Don't forget the date.

S. E. MURRY, at his plumbing establishment on Broad street, has a large and fine line of gas stoves of the most popular makes. "The American Beauty," the popular gas, wood or coal range, is meeting with great success. Call and see Mr. Murry's line of stoves and save money.

NEW APRICOTS, PEACHES, FIGS, Fresh Invoice Shredded whole wheat biscuits, palatable—nutritious, 2 packages 25c. Just received a fresh lot of those Victoria chocolate creams and H. H. coconut Bon Bons 20c lb. They are fine. Our market is now constantly supplied with Fresh Home Made Sausage, in casings or not, as you like it. DAY'S.

WILLING WORKERS FAIR.—Don't forget the "Willing Workers" fair at the opera house next week, the 24th, 25th and 26th. See the unique miniature representation of various Bible history scenes as a side issue each evening. Wednesday evening, Humphrey's Cosmopolitan Quartette and Niver's Animatroscope. This company comes very highly recommended by some of the best people of our state. Booths will be arranged in the opera house at which will be exposed for sale numerous useful and beautiful articles made and solicited by the girls. This band of young girls are interested in their work and deserve the patronage and encouragement of the public.

A Hammock Party.

Progressive hammock parties are the latest. A hammock is hung under the trees for each lady in the company. Each hammock is numbered, and the gentlemen draw similar numbers out of a hat. They seek out the proper hammock and the fun begins. They are allowed five minutes in each hammock, and progress until they have sat five minutes beside each lady in the party. The girls have nothing to do but sit still and look sweet until the end of the game when they decide by ballot which gentleman is entitled to the prize for the most entertaining, and the chap who gets the fewest votes is the booby.

RENOVO GIRL FOULY MURDERED IN BALTIMORE.

Husband Tenderly Carries Young Wife With One Arm While Death Lurked in Other—Fatal Shot Fired in Presence of Others—Brought to Renovo for Interment.

Particulars of the shooting of Mrs. Harry Harris by her husband in Baltimore, on Friday morning, created considerable excitement in Renovo, and cast a gloom over the entire community as the victim of the felon's bullet was the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Jones, of the Renovo Hotel, and is a young lady universally loved and respected by all who knew her.

Harris' violent temper is said to have compelled his wife to leave him on several occasions. She had been at the home of her parents in Renovo and last week received a telegram that her husband was ill and she went to Baltimore to nurse him. On Wednesday Mr. Jones received notice that again there was trouble and he started immediately for Baltimore arriving there on Thursday, with the intention of taking his daughter home with him. Harris seemed distressed. He asked her father if he would let Eva stay if he would behave himself. When told that she would return home with her father, Harris, who seemed rational and penitent of his treatment to his wife, walked quietly across the room to where she was standing and put his left arm around her neck as in a fond caress, while with the other hand he quickly pulled a revolver and pressed it to her head and sent a bullet crashing into her brain. The tragedy took place in the kitchen of the young people's home, in the presence of the girl's father and aunt and Harris' uncle, all of whom were powerless to prevent the crime. Harris fired the fatal shot at 9:15 a. m., the bullet passing through the brain and lodging over the right ear. He might have turned the revolver on the others or upon himself had not Mr. Jones sprang upon him and pinned him to the floor while the young man's uncle wrested the weapon from his hand.

Eva Jones three years ago was attending the Peabody Conservatory of Music. She had a fine voice and was taking vocal instructions. Six months after she first met Harris they were married. Their baby, a daughter, is nine months old. He is 29 years of age. She is 24 and a beautiful woman.

Mrs. Harris died at the University of Maryland hospital early on Saturday morning, and was brought to Renovo on Monday and taken to the Renovo hotel where the remains lay in state until the funeral which took place on Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Services were conducted by Rev. J. D. Cook, assisted by Rev. Robert McCaslin, of Emporium. Interment was made in Fairview cemetery.

Harris, who was employed as a railroad agent at Baltimore, languished in prison at the latter place, awaiting trial for murder in the first degree. A strong guard has been placed over him to prevent any attempt at suicide, as he raves like a maniac.

Renovo News: It was exactly 1:30 o'clock when the funeral ceremonies began. Rev. Robert McCaslin, of Emporium, preached one of the ablest and most touching sermons ever heard here. He, in turn was followed by Rev. J. D. Cook, pastor of the Presbyterian church, who offered a most devout and heartfelt prayer.

More Authority.

Constables now have powers identical with policemen, and can arrest without a warrant, and take before a local magistrate, any offender against the peace or violator of borough ordinances. The justice may impose fine and costs, the fine to be paid to the borough treasurer for the use of the borough.

"When a man marries," says the Chicago News, "he gives his name to his wife, but when he fails in business the akes hers."

BOUND FOR THE PHILIPPINES.

Lieutenant McNamee Reaches Hawaiian Islands.

On board U. S. A. Transport Grant, October 1, 1899—Well here I am for the sixth time on the sea on an army transport, in excellent health and getting fat. Lieutenant O'Shea, Fourth cavalry, Lieutenant Peck, Thirty-seventh infantry and myself, with 250 recruits for different regiments, went aboard the transport Grant with the Twenty-sixth infantry, (Colonel Rice commanding) on the 25th of September and after six days travel in the direction of the horizon (for that was the only thing in sight) we are now in sight of Molokai, in the Hawaiian islands, and settled partly by lepers. We will reach Honolulu to-night and go ashore in the morning, where we will lay for several days to coal ship.

My forty men are scattered all over the world. I have so far come up with fourteen of them. Nearly all of my men, however, have been made acting Corporals, Sergeants and First Sergeants. Sergeant Mackey is two days ahead of me on the Sherman. Burnett is acting First Sergeant still at the Presidio. Westfall and Rissell are aboard as non commissioned officers in Peck's company. Rosecrans is his First Sergeant.

I have a company of 130, all regulars, and don't know one of them, but they know me now and are thoroughly convinced that they have a company commander. All the men have been examined and vaccinated. The examination was very severe and some of the men were turned down after passing two previous examinations. I was vaccinated in Frisco and it is getting in its work now. Then the doctor on the boat gave me another for luck. I told him "thanks, that'll take as big as a dollar." He said, "here's another dollar; you have got your money's worth" and proceeded to write his check for the amount on my arm, so I have now three pets.

The present transport service (as compared with that at the beginning of the Spanish-American war) is a palace compared with a dugout. This boat is divided into fireproof compartments which are roomy and well ventilated. The decks are of iron and are kept perfectly clean. Bunks are of iron with laced canvas bottoms. Each compartment has two large double hatchways leading up "between decks," which is occupied as a dining hall and tables and seats are provided for all the men. The facilities for bathing, washing clothes, dishes, etc., are of the very best. The men do not live on travel rations, but are served with an abundance of food, well cooked in the ship's kitchen. All men are required to bathe every third day and are inspected in underwear the day following the bath. Every precaution is taken to prevent sickness. The ship carries in the cold storage (which is kept below the freezing point) every kind of meat, fish and poultry that can be conceived. The Twenty-sixth infantry band, which is an excellent organization, makes things lively with four concerts each day. My very kindest regards to all my friends.

FRANK T. MCNAMEE.

Fire Alarms.

Yesterday about two o'clock the fire whistles sounded and the entire department was called out. Smoke was issuing from Albert Haupt's cellar, on Second street, caused by a leakage in gas pipe. The fire was extinguished with small loss. The next time Albert looks for a leak in the gas pipe he will not use a lighted match.

This Thursday morning another was sounded, this time from the west ward. R. R. McQuay's kitchen chimney took a notion to burn out and called a big crowd and some excitement. No damage was done.

Gen. Gordon's Lecture.

Gen. J. B. Gordon's lecture at the opera house Tuesday evening, on "The Last Days of the Confederacy" was the best and most eloquent address ever delivered in Emporium. Every seat in the large hall was taken and the vast audience frequently applauded the speaker. Miss Collins, our energetic County Superintendent, deserves the thanks for this treat.

Republican Rally.

The Republican rally at the opera house last Monday afternoon was well attended for a day meeting. The stage was beautifully decorated with flags and bunting, under the direction of Mrs. E. C. Davison, assisted by Mayor Howard, Harry Hemphill and Orvis Hemphill. Promptly at 2 o'clock secretary of the county committee, C. Jay Goodnough, called the meeting to order and read the list of officers selected by the organization, as follows: President—Hon. J. C. Johnson; Vice Presidents—John Day, Sr., Geo. A. Walker, C. C. Fay, J. O. Brookbank, H. J. Darren, C. F. Mankey, Jos. Kaye, John Wygant, E. C. Davison, L. Lockwood, W. L. Thomas.

Secretaries—B. L. Spence, F. A. Hill, A. L. Ensign. Capt. Johnson called the meeting to order and introduced the Quintette, composed of five members of the Fighting Tenth Regiment, whose singing captured the audience. During the meeting the boys were repeatedly called upon and the hearty applause accorded them was evidence that their excellent singing was appreciated. Addresses were made by Capt. Frank Barr, of 16th. Va. Vols., Sergt. Jesse Wall, Corp. W. L. Dom and Lieut. A. B. Young, all of the Fighting Tenth Regiment. The audience was well pleased with the singing and addresses, yet were disappointed at not having the pleasure of hearing Gen. Gobin, who failed to get here.

Mark Twain on the Jews.

The Jew is not a disturber of the peace in any country. Even his enemies will concede that. He is not a loafer, he is not a sot, he is not noisy, he is not a brawler or a rioter, he is not quarrelsome. In the statistics of crime his presence is conspicuously rare—in all countries. With murder and other crimes of violence he has little to do; he is a stranger to the hangman. In the police court's daily long roll of "assaults" and "drunk and disorderlies" his name seldom appears. That the Jewish home is a home in the truest sense is a fact which no one will dispute. The family is knitted together by the strongest affections; its members show each other every due respect, and reverence for the elders is an inviolate law of the house.

The Jew is not a burden on the charities of the State, nor of the city; these could cease from their functions without affecting him. When he is well he works, when he is incapacitated his own people take care of him. And not in a poor and stingy way, but with a fine and large benevolence. His race is entitled to be called the most benevolent of all the races of men. A Jewish beggar is not impossible perhaps; such a thing may exist, but there are few men that can say they have seen that spectacle. The Jew has been staged in many uncomplimentary forms but, so far as I know, no dramatist has done him the injustice to stage him as a beggar. Whenever a Jew has real need to beg his people save him the necessity of doing it. The charitable institutions of the Jews are supported by Jewish money and amply. The Jews make no noise about it; it is done quietly; they do not nag and harass us with contributions; they give us peace and set us an example—an example which we have not found ourselves able to follow.—Mark Twain in Harper's Magazine.

Cameron.

W. S. Lininger visited the county seat Monday.

Stuart Bros. finished hauling their bark Tuesday.

M. S. McConnell, of Ridgway, was home over Sunday.

D. C. Lininger drove to Dents Run Monday on business.

Dan Sullivan is hustling bark for Isaac Wykoff at Bailey Run.

The P. R. R. Co. were doing some painting at the Depot Tuesday.

Miss Maud Rendt of Emporium is the guest of Fred Morse and wife this week.

Some of our people are taking in the Institute at Emporium this week.

Mrs. Marguerite Chapman, of Sterling Run, is visiting with H. D. Stuart and family this week.

Mat Phoenix is visiting with his daughter Mrs. Mame Oyler, of Clarksburg, Pa., this week.

Emery Dinney, and wife of Sinnemahong, were the guests of Mrs. Mary Yocum and family over Sunday.

Ray Zaner of the 47 Regiment Co. B. of Harrisburg was in town over Sunday. He had quite a story to tell the boys.

Our town boys are building a sidewalk from the school house to the Dam. We hope to see more turn in and help. Keep on boys its a good plan.

Teachers' Institute.

The teachers Institute in session is well attended and is pronounced the best ever held in this county. The instructors and lecturers are the best in the land.

BRIEF MENTION.

Plenty of pretty school marms in town this week.

The Bank building is being treated to a fresh coat of paint.

Mechanics and laborers of all kinds are busy as bees. Few loafers here.

The furnace attracts many of our people to see the process of running iron.

Down-county citizens came up in large numbers to hear Gen. Gordon's lecture.

Contractor Cramer is rushing work on the new school house in Plank Road Hollow.

Ed. Keeney, a druggist, committed suicide at Eldred, last night. Revolver route.

Dr. Culp at the institute to-night. This will be the last evening lecture. Be sure you attend.

Butler county will issue \$100,000 bonds to raise money for the erection of a poor house.

Geo. J. LaBar drove to Driftwood on Monday with a load of furniture from his store. He keeps the goods.

Mr. F. H. Goodyear has given Buffalo an elephant for the city's zoo. The gift cost several thousand dollars.

One of Chas. Fry's horses threw up the sponge one day last week and is now with the good horses in horseland.

Fourth street storekeepers complain of a sneak thief in dresses. Every evening fruit and vegetables disappear. Police!

A large number of Emporium Masons went to Erie on Wednesday to attend a session of the Shrine and have a jolly good time. They had it.

Alton Housler is the proud possessor of a pair of twins—presented by his Jersey heifer. They are beauties and of course there was great rejoicing.

The furnace is now turning out one hundred tons of iron per day and as soon as another battery of boilers are in position will run about 150 tons per day.

The season opened Sunday for shooting pheasant, quail, woodcock and squirrel, and the wily nimrod shoulders his blunderbuss and hies himself to the woods in quest of game.

The Commissioners have put a large gas lamp on the Court House porch, which illuminates the whole terrace, thus depriving our youthful lovers of a well-established trysting place.

Senator Davis, of Illinois, is quoted as saying, "Each year every local newspaper gives from \$500 to \$5,000 in free lines for the benefit of the community in which it is printed. No other agency can nor will do this."

Jos. Kinsler, the enterprising Broad St., grocer, is doing a rushing business and in order to meet his rapidly increasing trade is erecting an addition to his store. We are pleased to note this evidence of prosperity. Joe is a tip-top citizen and good fellow.

The Carnegie Steel Company will immediately begin the construction of improvements at its plant in Duquesne to cost from \$7,500,000 to \$8,000,000 indicating that the company's officials think the existing prosperity in the iron and steel trade will continue.

A Western New York farmer predicts a long and hard winter. He bases his calculations upon the statement that the beechnut crop is phenomenally large, and adds that when this occurs it forecasts a season calculated to make life a burden to all who do not enjoy extreme cold.

Two of the five international yacht races to be run off Sandy Hook have been won by the American cup defender Columbia. The third race comes off to-day and should the Columbia win it Sir Thomas Lipton will please lift his hat to well established principles of American superiority.

The boys in blue who sat upon the beautifully decorated stage with Gen. Gordon, last Tuesday evening, cordially applauded Hon. J. C. Johnson's tribute to a worthy soldier and an honorable gentleman. Mr. Johnson's remarks were seconded by the great audience in true Cameron county style.

School Report.

Report of Tuman School for the month ending Sep. 29, 1899. Number enrolled, males 22, females 9. Total 31.

Those who were present every day during the month are as follows:—Ruby Andrews, Oscar Hopkins, Aelle Dumbolton, Otto Toner, Harry Toner, Arthur Hopkins, Annie Cook, and Ella White. Minnie Andrews and Allen Hopkins missed but one-half day each. Those present every day except one, are Sophia Markert, Lillian Hopkins, and Clara Toner.

SADIE C. PAINTER, Teacher.

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EASTMAN'S KODAK



WILL PHOTOGRAPH THE WEATHER.

FRIDAY, clear; cooler.
SATURDAY, Fair; partly cloudy; probably rain Saturday night.
SUNDAY, Rain.

You can carry it in your hands, on your shoulder, in your pocket or on your bicycle. You press the button and the Kodak will do the rest.

LLOYD'S LONG RANGE FORECAST OF THE WEATHER AND EASTMAN'S KODAK.

She Sails.

Wind! Wind!! Wind!!! That is what the people of two continents have been looking for, for the past two weeks. Now they are getting it and how the Columbia sails. This store with her main-sail, club-top-sail and jib-sail set, has caught the first fresh trade breeze of the Autumn season, and like the victorious yacht, sweeping ahead of all our competitors on the starboard or port tack. We are leading the way in kodaks, bicycles, stationery, wall paper, guns, and ammunition that will bring your game across the finish line. We extend you a cordial invitation to try our guns and ammunition that will stop the birds from beating the wind, wind, wind.

HARRY S. LLOYD.

THE FIRST BLOW.

The Boers Destroy an Armored Train.

SHELLED THE WRECKAGE

Reports of Battles in Natal are Sent to England.

AN ATTACK ON MAFEKING.

The Invading Force from the Orange Free State is Said to Number 12,000 Men—Canada Will Send 1,000 Soldiers to South Africa.

London, Oct. 14.—An Edinburgh paper, the Scotsman, this morning asserts that a battle has taken place between Gen. White, commanding the forces in Natal, and the Boers, who entered Natal by way of Van Reenen's pass. Gen. White, the paper says, is very sanguine of the British movement. The foregoing report is considered correct, as late last night the war office had news of a British advance from Ladysmith and was hourly expecting further intelligence.

A dispatch to the Telegraph from its correspondent at Ladysmith, dated at noon Friday, says: "Strong column under Gen. White, accompanied by Gen. Hunter, proceeded before day-break this morning toward Aton Homes for the purpose of reconnoitering. Gen. White's object was to observe what was going on, and also to test the efficiency of his forces."

The Mail's Cape Town correspondent says: "I learn on good authority that the Boers are attacking Mafeking. They are reported to have already suffered several repulses. It is generally admitted that Vryburg cannot stand a strong Boer attack."

The Times Cape Town correspondent says the so-called Irish brigade which is fighting for Transvaal is a fraud and that scarcely any men who are known to be Irish are known to be in it. The correspondent adds that Irishmen in the colony strongly resent the formation of the brigade.

The Ladysmith correspondent of the Times says: "A subsequent reconnaissance shows that the invading force on the Free State numbers approximately 12,000 men. The Times expects that this dispatch is evidently coming to a previous telegram which has not yet reached it."

An official dispatch received at the colonial office says: "The armored train was destroyed near Kraaipan station, while on the way to Mafeking with guns."

A later dispatch says the armored train was attempting to run through the Boers.

According to the Kimberley correspondent of the Telegraph Cecil Rhodes had a narrow escape from capture while on his way to Kimberley. His train was delayed and he passed the Modder river three hours after the expiration of the ultimatum, when the Boers were only five miles distant and some of their spies were on the platform. Rhodes had low and was not recognized. Had he been, his capture would have been easy, as the line was not defended. He believes the strength of the enemy is greatly exaggerated.

Pretoria, Oct. 14.—An official manifesto has been addressed to Afrikaners throughout South Africa appealing to them to resist "the unjust demands of Great Britain," and accusing Lord Salisbury, Mr. Chamberlain and Sir Alfred Milner of treachery.

Bloemfontein, Oct. 14.—Martial law has been proclaimed and the courts are closed. A proclamation has been issued warning British subjects to leave the range Free State before 6 o'clock this evening. Permits to remain may be obtained from the authorities, and the proclamation calls on the burghers to respect those who secure such permits.

Kimberley, Oct. 14.—The Telegraph line between Kraaipan and Maritzburg, south of Mafeking, has been cut and a strong command of Boers has occupied the Kraaipan railway siding.

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 14.—At a meeting of the cabinet Friday a decision was reached to send 1,000 Canadian soldiers to South Africa as Canada's contribution to the British force now fighting the Boers. This is double the number of troops asked by the British government.

Ingham on the Rack.

Philadelphia, Oct. 14.—Former District Attorney Ellery P. Ingham, who is on trial before Judge McPherson in the United States district court, charged with conspiracy and bribery in connection with the Jacobs-Kendz revenue stamp counterfeiting case, was yesterday subjected to a rigid cross-examination by District Attorney Beck, who found several weak spots in his story. Mr. Beck succeeded in forcing Ingham to admit that he would utter an untruth if the case required it.

Sampson Hauls Down His Flag.

Fort Monroe, Va., Oct. 14.—Rear Admiral Sampson retired from command of the North Atlantic squadron yesterday and his flag was hauled down from the cruiser New York. He left at 7 o'clock for New York. Admiral Farquhar, Sampson's successor, will take command to-day.

Broke All Records.

Brockton, Mass., Oct. 14.—Eddie McDuffee broke all cycling records for from three to 15 miles inclusive here last night in a 25 miles race with Ben Monroe, Memphis, Tenn., riding 13 miles in 21:11.

THE GENERALS IN COMMAND OF THE BOER AND BRITISH FORCES IN SOUTH AFRICA.



GEN. T. A. CRONJE. COL. R. S. M. BADEN-POWELL. (Second in Command Transvaal Forces) (Commanding British Forces at Mafeking.) GEN. SIR REIDERS HENRY BULLLET. (Chief in Command of British Forces in South Africa.) GEN. SIR GEORGE STEWART WHITE. GEN. JOUBERT, VICE PRESIDENT. (Commanding British Troops in Natal.) (General in Chief of Transvaal Forces.)

IN THE NORTHWEST.

President McKinley Travels from West Superior, Wis., to Fargo, S., and Delivers Several Addresses.

West Superior, Wis., Oct. 14.—President McKinley arrived in this city Friday. Over 15,000 people, including 7,000 school children, received the party at the city hall. A committee of children presented the president and party with a neat printed souvenir purchased with penny contributions by the school children. The president made a short speech.

Duluth, Minn., Oct. 14.—A noisy welcome was given the presidential party on its arrival in this city. Hundreds of tug boats and grain steamers were anchored under the bridge across the St. Louis river and as the train passed overhead the screaming sirens beneath the bridge joined in a hair-raising chorus.

Entering carriages at the Great Northern depot, the presidential party was driven through blocks of cheering humanity to the High school building. At the head of the procession marched a battalion of the Third Minnesota volunteers.

The square around the high school was packed with people who cheered as President McKinley entered the speaker's stand. The president spoke of the advantages of education.

Fargo, N. D., Oct. 14.—Over 10,000 people greeted President McKinley and party when they arrived here last night. Entering carriages the party was driven to a reviewing stand through lines of the First North Dakota volunteers, who recently returned from the Philippines. The president was received with wild demonstrations. In his address he referred repeatedly to the situation in the Philippines. When he declared the government would send 65,000 soldiers to the Philippines to uphold the flag where the volunteers had placed it, the crowd approved the declaration with applause.

Rockefeller Corners Ore Carriers. Cleveland, Oct. 14.—John D. Rockefeller successfully cornered the market on next season's ore carriers Friday. It was the first time in the history of the lake marine that a corner on ore-carrying vessels has been attempted.

How many boats were chartered Mr. Bowers, Rockefeller's agent, refused to state, but at noon he said that no more were wanted. This would signify that enough vessel property had been leased for next season to enable Rockefeller to establish the ore-carrying rate from the head of the lakes.

A Bankruptcy Decision.

Milwaukee, Oct. 14.—Judge Jenkins, of the United States court of appeals, has handed down a decision holding that a judgment secured against an insolvent person within four months preceding the filing of bankruptcy proceedings is void. The decision is regarded as likely to result in creditors demanding additional security, where applicants for credit are not known to be thoroughly sound.

Crosby Keeps the Cup.

Batavia, N. Y., Oct. 14.—W. R. Crosby, of Batavia, defeated Bolla Heikes, of Dayton, O., for the inanimate target championship on the ground of the Batavia Gun club yesterday by a score of 132 to 130. Crosby retains the championship cup, which he won from Elliot, of Kansas City.

Four Men Killed by an Explosion.

Britton, S. D., Oct. 14.—A threshing engine, 12 miles southeast of Britton, blew up Friday, killing George Jackson, C. A. Ahlstrom and two negroes.

The Sixth Fluke.

New York, Oct. 14.—The wind asleep in its cavern and a coverlet of white fog drawn over the bosom of the ocean yesterday lengthened the unprecedented record of flukes in the cup contest to six. The yachts did not leave their anchorage inside Sandy Hook.

Dewey Lays a Corner-Stone.

Northfield, Vt., Oct. 14.—Admiral Dewey on Friday laid the corner-stone of Dewey hall, which is to be a part of Norwich university, the institution in which the admiral received his earliest military training. Senator Dewey, of New York, delivered an address.

A STOCK OF ARMS

Friars Hid Them in Their Home at Manila.

AMERICANS SEIZED THEM

A Scouting Party Drives 'Pinos Out of Their Trenches.

THREE OF OUR MEN KILLED.

Schwan's Troops Rest After an Exhausting March Through Roadless Rice Fields—Manila Is Visited by Two Earthquake Shocks.

Manila, Oct. 14.—Maj. Cheatham, with a scouting party, while proceeding along the west shore of the lake on Thursday encountered a force of rebels strongly entrenched at Muntinlupa. Maj. Cheatham reports that he drove the rebels from their position and that in the engagement three Americans were killed and two wounded. Rumors are in circulation in Manila that Cheatham discovered three American prisoners, who had been bound, gagged and shot by the insurgents. These rumors, however, are not confirmed.

One Sandago, a lieutenant of police, has been arrested and lodged in jail, his subordinate having reported to the authorities that he was endeavoring to enlist them in a plot to turn the police against the Americans in the event of an uprising.

Reports having reached the provost marshal that arms were concealed at the headquarters of the Dominican friars, a large building adjoining the palace, soldiers searched the building and found a small stock of Mausers, revolvers and ammunition, which was confiscated despite the protests of the friars that the arms were not intended for unlawful use.

Gen. Schwan with the infantry has reached Bacoor. The troops are greatly exhausted, having had one of the hardest marches of the campaign. From Malabon to Perez das Marinas they marched through roadless rice fields. The Fourth infantry, from Iloilo, joined Gen. Schwan at Perez das Marinas. The Filipinos had deserted the town upon learning of the approach of the Americans, leaving only the women and children behind.

Two strong shocks of earthquake, lasting several seconds, were felt in Manila last evening.

The Kenney Case Is Notted.

Wilmington, Del., Oct. 14.—Judge Bradford in the United States district court yesterday granted to District Attorney Bryne permission to enter a nolle prosequi in the case of United States Senator Richard R. Kenney, indicted for conspiring to aid William V. Bogges, defaulting paying teller of the First national bank of Dover, who robbed that institution of \$107,000.

Bank Burglars Escape with \$3,500.

Nevada Mo., Oct. 14.—Burglars entered the Farmers' bank at Schell City, near here, Thursday night, blew open the safe and secured \$3,500 in cash, with which they escaped. Previous to the bank robbery the town watchman was captured on the street by armed men and bound and gagged.

Destroyed Eight Towns.

Lagos, West Africa, Oct. 14.—The British punitive expedition against the Fula tribes on the Leanne river, which had stopped the river traffic and murdered a number of boatmen, has returned to Lagos, having destroyed eight towns after prolonged fighting. The natives lost heavily and the British had eight men wounded.

Forty People Browned.

St. Louis, Senegal, Oct. 14.—A native craft, while attempting to cross the bar at the mouth of the Senegal river, was wrecked and 40 persons were drowned.

DOLLAR OF 1804 IS A MYTH.

This Is the Assertion of a Well-Known American Authority on Numismatics.

Is there an American dollar of the date of 1804? If there is, it is worth a fortune, for it is one of the jack of lanterns of numismatics. In a recent issue the American Journal of Numismatics goes into an interesting account of what it terms the "myth of 1804 dollars," and denies that any such coin, struck in that year, is in existence. Like comets, these alleged coins have been turning up in most unexpected places for nearly a century. Recently coin dealers were excited by a story from Racine, Wis., which told how a woman went into a dry goods store to buy a spool of thread and tendered in payment a worn silver dollar, saying that she did not know whether it was good

HIS FIRE ESCAPE.

The Only Time the Traveler Wanted to Use It He Couldn't Find the Key.

A commercial traveler who was putting up at one of the hotels exhibited a curious contrivance to some friends the other evening, says the New Orleans Times-Democrat. It consisted of a metal reel almost eight inches long, bolted securely to one of the inside corners of his trunk. On the reel was wound about 100 feet of steel wire, terminating in a sort of stirrup. The entire device occupied considerably less than a square foot of room, and the drummer explained that it was a fire escape of his own invention. "All I have to do," he said, "is to put my foot in the stirrup and let myself out of the window. The trunk acts as an anchor at this end and the ratchet at the side of

AMOS L. ALLEN.



This gentleman has just been nominated to succeed Thomas B. Reed in congress. He is about the biggest man in the little town of Alfred, Me., not far from Portland. After graduating from Bowdoin college he was admitted to the bar, but before middle life he found himself engaged in government positions. More recently he was private secretary to Mr. Reed, and in this capacity became acquainted with all the public men of the land. He is now 62 years of age, but livelier on his feet and quicker of wit than most men are at 50.

or not. The clerk saw the date "1804" on the coin, put it into his pocket, and threw a new silver dollar into the cash drawer. He was offered \$1,500 for the old coin by a dealer, but refused to sell. In this way the story got out and the clerk's employer put in a claim for the 1804 dollar. Both men have employed lawyers to defend their titles, and now the woman shopper is preparing to bring suit for the possession of it.

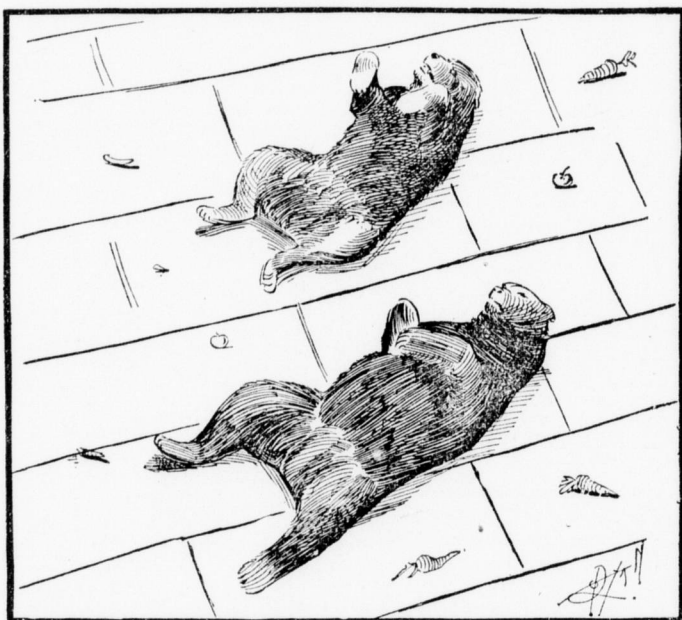
For years Mr. Nexsen, an expert of Brooklyn, N. Y., has made a study of the subject. He has convinced himself and other competent judges that no genuine 1804 dollar was ever coined. He has become convinced that the alleged dollars of that date are alterations of Spanish, Mexican, Bank of England five-shilling pieces, or some such fraud. It is believed that an experimental die with milled edges was made but not used in 1804. In 1842 some one, perhaps surreptitiously, struck a few dollars on this old, un-

the reel prevents the wire from paying out too rapidly. "Did you ever have occasion to put it to use?" asked one of the spectators. "Only once," replied the drummer. "I was in a hotel that caught fire at night about eight months ago and the first thing I did when I jumped out of bed was to rush for my trunk. It was locked and in my excitement I couldn't find the key. I hunted high and low and was still hunting when the porter rushed in and led me downstairs. They extinguished the fire and I subsequently discovered the key under the bureau. Now I have the thing on a chain and am loaded for conflagrations of all brands."

Trusted His Dog Too Far.

It is not always safe to put too much trust in a dog. An Ellsworth man had a highly-prized dog, and when a neighbor presented a bill for two hens which he claimed had been killed by the brute, the dog owner was grieved and positive-

A COUPLE OF ARTFUL BEGGARS.



The above picture is borrowed from the Strand Magazine, to whose editor it was sent with this explanation: "I send you a photograph of two bears lying on their backs in the bear pit at Berno, Switzerland, begging for bread from visitors, who feed them from above." The correspondent adds that these bears beckon for food in a most amusing manner with their paws whilst lying in this position, cleverly catching the dainties in their mouths. The picture was taken from above by tilting the camera, lens downward, toward the floor of the pit.

used die, and it is these that are occasionally found.

Arizona Seeks Statehood.

Arizona people believe that the census of 1900 will show a sufficient population to warrant the admission of the territory to the union. Arizona had 59,520 inhabitants in 1890, and the claim is made that the territory has doubled in population since then. Increased activity in mining and the development of copper and gold mines is responsible for the increase. Yet, even if Arizona should have as many as 120,000 inhabitants next year, it would still lack 53,000 of the ratio of representation adopted in 1892. New Mexico, which is yet a territory, has more than twice as many inhabitants as Arizona.

An Inventress.

The woman who invented satchel-bottom paper bags was offered \$20,000 for the patent before she could get away from Washington.

ly refused to believe the charge or pay for the hens. A few days later the Ellsworth man was driving by the farm where the hens had been killed. The dog was with him in the carriage. He drove into the farmer's yard to prove to him that his dog was not guilty. "Let out your hens," he said, "and I'll call the dog out of the carriage to prove that he will not kill hens." It was done. Before the dog could be stopped he had killed four. The owner of the dog, who never dishonors a just bill, pulled out his wallet and settled for six hens.—Bangor (Me.) Commercial.

Tobacco in South America.

A writer in the German scientific periodical Prometheus declares that over-indulgence in tobacco will prove the ruin of South American peoples. Not only do children of two and three years smoke all day long, but mothers have been seen trying to quiet their babies by putting cigars in their mouths.

\$500 Reward

The above Reward will be paid for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who placed iron and slabs on the track of the Emporium & Rich Valley R.R., near the east line of Franklin Housler's farm, on the evening of Nov. 21st, 1891.

HENRY AUCHT, President.

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Whenever they are in doubt, the Democrats always raise the "anti" issue.

It is said that Mr. Bryan's throat is in bad shape. As a word tunnel it has been shamefully over-worked.

The Democrats run their campaigns on the theory that the people are tired of prosperity already, and want a change.

The fact that the grasshoppers neglected to fuse with the Populists this year in Nebraska may, to some extent, account for the good times in that State.

The Democratic papers are calling this "a government on wheels" since the President started west. At any rate that is better than a "government with wheels."

The Democratic National Committee cleared \$20,000 on the Texas State Fair, and judging from this experience it had better drop politics and go into the State fair business.

By perambulating Europe for several months, Chairman Jones has discovered that our prosperity is but an iridescent dream, and doesn't reach the farmer or the workman.

About the only famine that the depreciated condition of silver can be associated with this fall is the freight car famine. It is the only bit of hard luck the country has in sight just at present.

Uncle Sam's consuls will look after the interests of British citizens in the Transvaal during hostilities. We have not forgotten John Bull's services in that line when we had that little argument with Spain.

It is hoped that some telegraph company will be thoughtful enough to place a special wire at the disposal of Aguinaldo on election night. It will contribute a good deal toward shortening the war.

Chairman Jones of the Democratic National Committee, if we are to judge from his recent utterances since his return from Europe, is disposed to take up the fight where he left off in 1896. He evidently overlooks the progress made in his absence.

Four years ago hundreds of men could be seen every morning at the gates of the factories hoping for a chance to get a day's work at any wages. Now the factories are advertising for men to take the good wages that Republican prosperity has brought.

The President of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers told the Industrial Commission at Washington the other day that his experience in dealing with combinations of capital or "trusts" had been most satisfactory. As a rule he thought it easier to avoid strikes with them than with private employers.

A decided change is noticed in the attitude of the Democratic leaders. They are less inclined to criticize the policy of whipping the Filipinos first and determining the form of government afterwards, than they were two months ago. The return of the volunteer regiments was a disappointment to them, as they soon found that the soldiers did not take kindly to the demand that the American forces be withdrawn at once.

POINTED COMMENT.

Wage-earners appear satisfied with dollars worth one hundred cents each. At the recent meeting of the Illinois State Federation of Labor a silver plank to their platform was proposed but deliberately rejected.

The Treasury receipts continue to pile up in excess of the Treasury expenditures, despite the Democratic assertion that the Dingley law was a failure and could not meet the ordinary running expenses of the Government.

More railroads are being built in the United States, more business is being transacted on those already in existence, more manufacturing is in progress, more exportation of manufactures is being done and more general prosperity and less failures are reported than ever before in the history of the country, a condition which augurs ill for the Democratic campaigns in 1899 and 1900.

The laboring men who still cling to Bryanism should take into consideration this fact: When Bryan made his previous tour through the country they could go and hear him without losing any time whatever from the jobs they didn't have. Now every industriously inclined mechanic and day laborer will have to "lay off" from his job or miss the speech. The lesson is clear enough.—Indianapolis Journal.

"Cut loose from Aguinaldo," shouts the Philadelphia Times to the Democratic party. Easier said than done. Besides, Aguinaldo sincerely trusts the Democracy and has staked his all on the chances of its success. It would be base ingratitude to throw him overboard just because he has talked too much. Other good Democrats have done that too, and maintained their standing in the party.—Pittsburg Com. Gazette.

People who watch the efforts of the railroad companies to handle their freight traffic will agree with Mr. Bryan's recent reluctant statement that "There seems to be some prosperity." The demands from all over the country for cars to move products continues to tax every resource of the car shops. The railroads centering in the East are making use of everything in the shape of a freight-carrier that can be made to run; yet complaints of shortage and delays are constant, while in the West the crops are taxing the roads to their utmost.

President McKinley showed very clearly in his recent speech at Minneapolis that expansion found as many opponents and as much severe criticism when the Louisiana Territory was acquired and the Alaska purchase made as it does to-day, yet everybody now concedes that both of those purchases were extremely wise and extremely advantageous in the results to the Union and the people affected.

Loyal and consistent Democrats, and there are millions of them, must blush for their party and the reputation which its would-be leaders are making for it when they read Aguinaldo's latest manifesto, in which he says that "In America there is a great party that insists upon the Government's recognizing Filipino independence, and we should pray God that the great Democratic party shall win at the next election, and Imperialism fail in its mad attempt to subjugate us by force of arms."

Democratic stump orators who were insisting in 1896 that there could be no prosperity without free trade and free silver will, perhaps, be interested to know that the failures in September, 1899, amounted to less than one-fourth of those of September, 1896, the very month in which they were trying to induce people to accept their political nostrums. The failures in September, 1896, were, according to Dun's Review, \$29,774,917, while for September, 1897, they had fallen to \$10,309,935; for September, 1898, to \$8,868,019, and for September, 1899, they were but \$6,979,684, the lowest record in September failures since the keeping of these records began.

Millions Given Away.
It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs are surely cured by it. Call on L. Taggart Druggist, and get a free trial bottle. Regular size 50c. and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed, or price refunded.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 16th, 1899.

Secretary Root finds much to please him just now. The military movements in the Philippines during the last few days, which are preliminary to the general campaign, have all been successful, notwithstanding the bad condition of the ground after the long rainy season. In every case, the object sought was obtained. Secretary Root thinks this the beginning of the end, and that long before the close of the dry season there will be no armed bodies of Filipinos on the island of Luzon, and no difficulties are anticipated on any of the other islands. Everybody now looks forward to the early pacification of the Philippines. Another thing that pleased Secretary Root was the telegram from Havana stating that the taking of the Cuban census was started to-day on schedule time and that everything has been arranged for its early completion.

Gen. Shafter was to-day retired as a Brigadier General of the regular army, but his management of affairs at San Francisco, where he has charge of the shipping of all troops to the Philippines, has been so efficient that he will be retained in the service as a Major General of Volunteers, as long as his services are required. Gen. Shafter was retired under the age limit law, which gave the war department no discretion, to-day being his sixty-fourth birthday.

Ten army chaplains have been ordered to the Philippines by the War Department, to assist the eight who are already over there, in looking after the spiritual welfare of the soldiers.

Senator Hayward, of Nebraska, who is in Washington, and who is thoroughly posted on the political situation in the state, says he is satisfied that the Republicans will win, although Mr. Bryan is making greater effort to prevent it than he did to carry the state for himself in '96. Speaking of the National outlook, Senator Hayward said: "I regard the renomination of Mr. Bryan as absolutely certain, and his defeat as inevitable. He can't get the prosperous citizens of the West excited over as dead an issue as free silver is. Nor can he gain any capital by his stand upon the Philippine question, though it is rather difficult to learn just where he does stand on that subject. At all events, he won't be able to get electoral votes of his own state next year, and outside of the South, the voters everywhere will record themselves overwhelmingly for his Republican opponent."

The settlement for the time of the Alaska boundary dispute, by Canada's acceptance of the temporary boundary line sometime ago agreed upon by Secretary Hay and Great Britain's diplomatic representative in Washington, is a great diplomatic triumph for this administration. The temporary boundary line gives Canada neither a port, nor an outlet on the Lynn canal, both of which Sir Wilfrid Laurier recently said it must have or there would be war.

The war between Great Britain and the Transvaal republic will be likely to prove decidedly profitable to this country, as our neutrality will not prevent our selling supplies to both, excepting, of course, arms and munitions of war. Our peace commerce with the Transvaal—last year the total was slightly over \$2,000,000—is so small that its loss will not be seriously felt. This government will be strictly neutral in the war, and our consular officers in South Africa will return the courtesy extended to us by British consuls in Cuba, during the war with Spain, by looking after the interests of British citizens in South Africa as long as the war lasts. In assuming this task our government gave the strongest possible pledge of its maintenance of neutrality, although the Democrats are pretending otherwise, with the hope of affecting German votes in Ohio and elsewhere.

Spreads Like Wildfire.
You can't keep a good thing down. News of it travels fast. When things are "the best" they become "the best selling." Abraham Hare, a leading druggist, of Belleville, O. writes: "Electric Bitters are the best selling bitters I have ever handled in my 20 years experience." You know why? Most diseases begin in disorders of stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, blood and nerves. Electric Bitters tones up the stomach, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, purifies the blood, strengthens the nerves, hence cures multitude of maladies. It builds up the entire system. Puts new life and vigor into any weak, sickly, run-down man or woman. Only 50 cents. Sold by L. Taggart.

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NOTICE.
CAMERON COUNTY, SS:
NOTICE is hereby given that B. W. Green, Receiver of the Mankey Furniture Company, has filed his first partial account of his administration, as Receiver aforesaid, and the same will be presented to the Court of Common Pleas for the October term next for confirmation absolute.

C. JAY GOODNOUGH, Prothonotary.
Prothonotary's Office,
Emporium, Pa., Sept. 20th, 1899. 31-4t

SHERIFF'S FISH PROCLAMATION.
TO the owners, builders or managers of fish dams, fish walls, fish baskets, eel weirs, kiddies, brush or facine nets, or any other permanently set or unlawful means of taking fish within the limits of Cameron county, Pa.:
You are hereby notified that by an Act of the General Assembly of Pa., of the 24th day of May, A. D. 1871, the said means of taking fish are declared common nuisances, and under said Act and the Act of the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1889, it is made the duty of the Sheriff of the county to abate or destroy the same. You are, therefore, hereby commanded to abate, remove or destroy the aforesaid means of taking fish within ten days from the date hereof.

FRANK MUNDY, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Sept. 22, 1899.—31-4t

COURT PROCLAMATION.—WHEREAS:—The Hon. CHAS. A. MAYER President Judge and the Hon. JOHN McDONALD and J. C. BONHAM, Associate Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, and General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court and Court of Common Pleas for the county of Cameron, have issued their respective orders, the 20th day of April, A. D. 1899, and to me directed for holding Court of Oyer and Terminer, General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court and Court of Common Pleas, in the Borough of Emporium, Pa., on Monday, the 23rd day of October 1899, at 2 o'clock, p. m., and to continue one week.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroners, Justices of the Peace and Constables within the county, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 2 o'clock, p. m., of said day, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations, and other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done. And those who are bound by their recognizance to prosecute against them as will be just.

Dated at Emporium, Pa., Sept. 27th, 1899, and in the 123d year of the Independence of the United States of America.

FRANK MUNDY, Sheriff.

LIST OF CAUSES.

LIST OF CAUSES SET DOWN FOR TRIAL

At October Term of Court, 1899, commencing Monday, October 23, 1899.

No. 16, September Term, 1897.

L. K. Huntington vs Lee and Company.

B. W. Green, C. W. Shaffer, for Plff.

F. D. Leet, for Defs.

No. 5, February Term, 1898.

George S. vs Mrs. Lucy Miller.

B. W. Green, C. W. Shaffer for Plff.

Johnson & McNarney, for Defs.

No. 6, February Term, 1898.

Charles V. Vail, vs. J. E. Tanning Company, a corporation vs S. S. Hacket.

B. W. Green, C. W. Shaffer, for Plff.

S. W. Smith, for Defs.

No. 21, May Term, 1898.

Lyman Lewis, late Overseer of the Poor of the Poor District of the Township of Shippen vs The Poor District of the Township of Shippen.

B. W. Green, C. W. Shaffer, for Plff.

Johnson & McNarney, for Defs.

No. 6, December Term, 1898.

A. W. Georgia vs Franklin Housler, defendant and Helen Housler, Lydia A. Housler, J. N. Chandler, D. N. Chandler, F. A. Lewis, and L. D. Lewis, Garnishers.

Johnson & McNarney, for Plff.

B. W. Green, C. W. Shaffer, for Aden Housler.

No. 47, December Term, 1898.

S. S. Hacket vs L. G. Cook.

F. D. Leet, for Defs.

No. 3, April Term, 1899.

E. M. Hurteau vs C. M. Lewis.

Johnson & McNarney for Plff.

B. W. Green, C. W. Shaffer, for Garnishers.

No. 8, July Term, 1899.

John McDonald vs Western N. Y. & Pennsylvania Railway Company.

E. J. Wimmer, for Plff.

Johnson & McNarney, for Defs.

No. 13, July Term, 1899.

Alvis Urmann vs H. M. Duell.

B. W. Green, C. W. Shaffer, for Plff.

Johnson & McNarney, for Defs.

C. JAY GOODNOUGH, Prothonotary.

COMMISSIONERS SALE OF

UNSEATED LANDS

IN CAMERON COUNTY.

AGREEABLE to the Act of Assembly in such cases made and provided, the Commissioners of the County of Cameron hereby give notice that on **Tuesday, 31st day of October, 1899**, at 1:00 o'clock, p. m., they will sell at public sale, in the Court House in Emporium, Pa., all or any part or parts of the following described lands, which have been purchased for the use of the county of Cameron, and are now held by it:

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War. Acres. or Owner. Township

1407 10 Hamlin & Forrest.....Shippen

4563 297 Bryan & Co.....do

1360 32 E. D. Sizor.....do

1360 139 Hamlin & Forrest.....do

1159 76 Hamlin & Forrest.....do

1407 10 Hamlin & Forrest.....do

4948 990 J. M. Judd.....do

1114 630 S. Q. Mingle.....do

5457 160 S. Q. Mingle.....Gibson

919 778 S. S. Smith.....do

Shaffer 150 Henry Shaffer.....do

4229 429 P. B. Bettner.....Grove

1320 112 John Booth.....Portage

SEATED.

30 J. E. Lacy.....Lumber

ALL that certain piece or lot of land situated in Lumber township, Cameron county, State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a post corner on the east side of the public road and in the corner of E. F. Shaffer's farm lot, running east sixty (60) rods to line of Penna. Joint Lumber & Land Company lands; thence south four (4) degrees, east to lands formerly owned by Washington Mason; thence west about sixty (60) rods to the east side of the public road; thence along the public road west to place of beginning, containing thirty (30) acres, be the same more or less.

SEATED.

One Lot, L. P. Hancock, Portage township.

All that certain piece of land situated in the township of Portage, county of Cameron, State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Commencing at a post on the east line of the Buffalo, New York & Philadelphia Railroad, being the northeast corner of a lot devised by L. B. Jones to C. Moulten; thence north by the said east line of said railroad five (5) rods to a post; thence east (160) rods to a post; thence South five (5) rods to a post; thence west ten (10) rods to the place of beginning, containing fifty (50) square rods of land, be the same more or less.

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LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by post-card, or letter, personally.

W. W. Weeks has located in Olean. M. C. Judd is visiting relatives and friends near Pittsburg.

R. Seger has been suffering terribly from rheumatism for the past week.

Mrs. C. G. Schmidt will leave next Sunday to visit relatives in Bradford county.

W. I. Lewis, of Coudersport, is a candidate for Congress and should be nominated.

Mrs. W. R. Harmon, of Bradford, Pa., was guest of Geo. A. Walker and family over Sunday.

Jos. Farley, of Mason Hill, came up to Emporium on Monday and attended the rally at the opera house.

Mrs. John Trafford, of Tyrone, is guest of her mother, Mrs. Deliah Clark, at the residence of W. F. Lloyd.

Postmaster Scott, of Williamsport, was in attendance at the Teachers' Institute on Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Thos. McGrain, and Mrs. N. J. Barner, of Third street, went to Buffalo Wednesday morning on a two days' shopping expedition.

Ex-County Commissioner John A. Wykoff, of Grove, visited in town on Tuesday, attending the institute. He remained for Gen. Gordon's lecture.

The many friends of Miss Rose Ritchie, who was suffering from an attack of typhoid fever, will be pleased to learn that she is rapidly recovering.

Messrs. Frank B. Baird, of Buffalo, and C. R. Baird, of Philadelphia, were in town over Sunday, inspecting their plant which is now in full operation at this place.

Capt. C. F. Barclay and wife of Sinnemahoning left for New Mexico on Monday, where Mr. Barclay and other Cameron county capitalists are engaged in gold mining.

Miss Mame Cleary, one of our popular school teachers, who has been undergoing a siege of typhoid fever for the past three weeks, has so far recovered from her serious illness as to be out.

Geo. W. Huntley, Jr., of Driftwood, transacted business in Emporium on Tuesday. Like all honest Democrats, he cannot swallow the anti-expansion crusade against President McKinley's policy.

Hon. Emerson Collin's, lecture on "Grant, the Soldier" last Monday evening was an eloquent address. Mr. C., is one of the most pleasant speakers in the state and never fails to please his hearers.

The many friends of Rev. W. R. McNeil enjoyed his visit to Emporium and hope he returns again in the near future. All classes and creeds are deeply attached to the venerable gentleman and wish him many years of usefulness. The services at Baptist church last Sunday evening were quite largely attended. The Masonic fraternity attended in a body out of respect to Rev. McNeil, who is an honored member of the fraternity.

W. O. Mankey was in town over Sunday.

Lyman Wiley called to see the PRESS yesterday.

Geo. Walker, Jr. took in the sights at Buffalo this week.

Andrew Denny, of Driftwood, was in town last evening.

J. M. Harris, of Olean, visited Jasper Harris Sunday and Monday in town.

Grant S. Allen attended a meeting of the Shriners at Williamsport yesterday.

Chas. Pealer has returned from the hospital. His injured eye is much better.

Mrs. C. E. Cobb, of Sherman, N. Y., is visiting her mother and sisters at this place.

W. W. Mattson, of Ridgway, Pa., has been guest of B. W. Green and family this week.

Geo. Crawford went to Buffalo on Saturday to assist Geo. Walker in seeing the sights.

Mrs. W. K. Wright, of Renovo, was visiting her sister, Mrs. T. F. More, on Sixth street, Tuesday.

Robt. Lewis and family of Lock Haven, are visiting relatives and friends in Emporium.

Michael McGraw was called to Silver Lake, Pa., yesterday to see a brother who was recently injured.

M. C. Tulis returned last Friday from visiting friends in New York and enjoying a few days amid scenes of olden times.

Mrs. Herbert Day is visiting her parents at Friendship, N. Y., where she will remain for the next three weeks.

W. P. Lloyd is officiating in Western Union office this week. Will is one of the best operators in the country and a genial gentleman.

J. H. Swain is visiting relatives in Chicago taking a much needed rest from his duties as clerk for the W. N. Y. & P. Ry., at this place.

B. W. Green, Josiah Howard, Harry Hemphill, C. L. Butler and ye editor attended the Republican rally at Ridgway last Monday evening.

Jos. Rank, better known as "Trippy," has accepted a position as porter at the Commercial House, St. Marys, and left for that place on Sunday.

Thos. More and Frank Hoag, of Sterling Run, were in town on Monday, in attendance at the Republican reception to the "Spellbinders."

Mrs. Dr. Heilman returned on Monday from visiting friends in Williamsport and vicinity, after having attended the funeral of the Doctor's mother, at that place.

D. F. Mulcahey, who has been seriously ill for several days, at the residence of his parents, near Emporium, is better at this writing, under Dr. Bardwell's careful treatment.

Lyman Wiley is spending his vacation with Emporium friends and "by gravey" those champion checker players will have to look out for their laurels.

Fred Julian has returned from an extended trip in the interest of the Climax Powder Company. We understand he secured many very large fat orders.

W. M. Swartz has returned from the wilds of Potter county and says he will stay at home now. He intends to keep track of Harry Lloyd's big hunting stories now—the best he ever heard since he strung six partridges at one shot.

B. V. Wykoff, of Sinnemahoning, has begun operations for Foresman & Williams, of Williamsport. A standard gauge railroad will be built, connecting with the Philadelphia & Erie R. R. at Hyner. The timber will be transported to Williamsport mills by rail.—Renovo News.

Pap Blodgett, Grand Chief Annanias of the International Organization of Prevaricating Associations, was in town on Monday preparing charges against Lucifer, because of his forcible ejement of a beloved member of the Sinnemahoning Liars Club from the sulphuric kingdom.

Rev. Robt. McCaslin, pastor of the Presbyterian church at this place, went to Renovo on Saturday to administer spiritual comfort to the sorely afflicted family of Mr. A. Y. Jones, whose daughter was so foully murdered in Baltimore last Friday. He also assisted at the funeral services which were held at that place on Tuesday.

The many friends of ex-County Treasurer W. L. Thomas will be pained to learn that this genial gentleman is suffering from partial paralysis of the right side of his face, the result of the terrible accident he met with four years ago. We sincerely hope our good and true friend may speedily recover.

The reliable D. Burlingame, of Sizerville, is as regular as the sun in appearing at the proper time to pay his subscription. Last week in sending his remittance he enclosed the following: "Loren F. Wolcott, aged 99 years last April, who went to the polls and voted for McKinley, is now broken down in Wis. He is uncle to D. Burlingame, of Sizerville, great uncle of H. L. Burlingame, of Kasson and J. Colegrove, of Smethport.—Smethport Miner.

John Bossie fell while alighting from Erie mail trail this morning and came near going under the car wheels.

Mrs. Wm. Robinson and children, of Fifth street, have returned home from Williamsport where they have been visiting relatives and friends.

David Kirk, of Pittsburg, Pa., was in Emporium this week, looking after business interests, in connection with Climax Powder Company's works. We understand the firm will double the capacity of their plant at this place in order to meet their demands, thereby giving employment to many more hands. The Climax Powder Company now stands at the head of the list as manufacturers of explosives and their rapidly increasing business, extensive works and reliable hustling mode of transacting business adds very materially to the business interests of Emporium. Their elegant business offices at this place, are conceded to be the most convenient and elaborately furnished of any in the state and are complimented by all who visit our town.

Sinnemahoning Liars Club.

Editor Press:—

The Sinnemahoning Liars Club held an interesting session last night, Harve Smith holding the power of authority. Gundy Logue was suspended because he couldn't keep his end up with John Johnson, while Jos. Summerson and E. F. Smith were given six days at hard labor husking corn for the club's winter supply of juice. Vine Hanscom has flunked; he says he won't tell any more "whoppers" and that he will vote the Prohibition ticket this fall; the chair appointed a committee to report next meeting as to his sanity. A challenge was received from James O'Brien which was accepted on condition that Ike Bowen be barred out of all the clubs in the county. A recess of one hour was ordered to let the braves perform a snake dance over a distinguished member who was taking a Rip VanWinkle nap, in Joe M's sitting room. After refreshments that revived old memories we proceeded to initiate Sheridan Mead and Clyde Jordan, who both road the goat together. Frank Buck, of Driftwood, happened along and as this is the goat used by Peck's bad boy in his manouvers with his pa and the hired girl, he immediately proceeded to tumble his namesake into a corner. The load on his back gave force to his awful rush and when Pap Blodgett sorted out the conglomeration in the corner they all four felt that Buck beer was indelibly stamped upon the after-deck of their respective personalities. Part of our club scrubbed out the bar-room for George yesterday in consequence of which Pap Blodgett was locked up in the ante-room of the club and had to be put through a recuperative test before he was placed in the club ambulance and taken home. The small of the corks had prostrated him.

FIDE.

Sinnemahoning.

W. H. Metzger and family are visiting the former's parents at Cogan Valley.

One could easily imagine this to be the first of April by the amount of "fitting" going on. At least fifteen families are changing their domiciles.

Mrs. Isaac Barber died at his home in this place on Wednesday morning the 11th inst., of old age and a general breaking down of her constitution. "Aunt Eliza" had been in feeble health for some time and her demise was not unexpected.

The big saw mill that has been idle for three months will resume business this week and it is expected will run all winter. The railroad into Jerry Run is about completed and logs are being brought from that source.

The new pier being placed under the railroad bridge is a fine and substantial piece of masonry. The work is nearly completed and after this is finished a new abutment will be placed under the north end of the bridge.

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The Kaiser has issued a decree against gambling in the German army.

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Where the sun sinks at close of day,
There's where my thoughts are flying;
As I gaze, I seem to see a face,
And my heart pursues my thoughts apace,
While the sunset glow is dying.

Over the hills and far away
I will journey myself some day—
I will watch the birds in flight;
I will find my sweetheart true to me,
And glad, ah glad, will our greeting be,
With a gladness that knows no dying.

—Elizabeth Harman, in Overland Monthly.



By CHAUNCEY C. HOTCHKISS
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CHAPTER I.—CONTINUED.

The fellow was bound to be a source of anxiety to me as long as he had the power to speak, but I could not well murder him outright. Fortunately, his patois was well-nigh unintelligible to ears untrained to the dialect of the southern negro, and, if my plan worked, he would ere long meet his deserts in one of the British prison hulks, the horrible reputation of which was now widespread. I have small doubt that he thought he was coming to his death when I ordered him up, for, like the slave he had once been, he cringed and writhed at my feet, begging for his life in a manner both disgusting and pitiful. Yet, for all his gratitude at my promise to spare him on condition of his silence, I felt that, were it in his power, he would have knifed me as I stood. I had no fear that he knew of my hidden gold, Lounsbury having been far too stupid to take for partners men of the character of the crew, he probably having seduced them with promises of prize money and the high favor of British officers. I had a warrant for this believing, for my mate had suddenly lowered his voice as he referred to the treasure below, in all likelihood for the purpose of concealing from the man at the wheel its presence on board the schooner.

To the fellow at my feet, whose name, I now mind me, was "Stote" (probably a corruption of Christopher), I made no promise for the future, only saying I would hold my hand for the present, and then ordered him to take in the jib and staysail, that the Phantom might lay in the wind and meet her fate as soon as possible.

Indeed, I had expected ere this to have had a shot across my bows and another one into me for not obeying the hint of the first, an action which had so far been impossible. I fancied (and afterward found I was right) they were nonplussed at the queer seamanship displayed by the drunken progress of the Phantom. It had been thought, mayhap, that, as but two men showed on our deck, we had a host below, and that, in the disguise of a simple trader, we were intending to delude them and lay them aboard with little ceremony; or, failing in this, were adopting some uncouth mode of warfare on the sea, as strange to them as is the Indian land method to the European regular.

It was with a feeling akin to shame that when the forward halyards were let go I had the negro bend the Stars and Stripes to the ensign halyard, placing the flag union down and under the flaming bunting of the enemy. These were hoisted to the mainpeak, and thus I had set a sign of surrender before the vessel was called for, but as a part of my plan it became a hard necessity.

CHAPTER II.

ALIAS CAPT. LOUNSBURY.

Now the headsails being let go with a run and hanging loose over the bow, the foresail and its traveling blocks giving out a deafening protest against its slack shroud, the mainsail joining in the thundering chorus, and the wheel jerking violently hither and thither with the kick of the rudder, we were sufficiently beyond the usual order of things to suit my purpose, and my trump card, in the shape of a dead man lying in the scupper, lay clear to the eye of anyone who might board us. The sight was uncanny enough, and my instinct was to have the negro heave the body overboard; but, as it was to be a silent witness to the story I was about to tell, I let it bide, though, as the sequel showed, 'twould have saved me a sight of trouble to have allowed my first impulse.

I confess that my heartbeats took on additional force and frequency as I stood and watched the schooner's nearer approach. She came on to within easy gunshot, and swung into the wind, all of a flutter from stem to stern, and then "lay to" with her headsails full aback. From the scarlet flag at her peak to her clean cutwater she was an object of beauty, though in a light air I doubt she would have slid her keel through the brine with greater speed than would the Phantom, which had been built for fleetness and rapidity in stays.

With my wits by this time well about me, and my wounds bleeding but little (as was shown by the few drops that now dripped from my fingers' ends), I stood by the helm and took in every detail of the enemy, from the crowd at her davits to the long brass piece forward of the foremast, the gun being trained point blank at me.

The stranger worked with the alacrity of a man-of-war, for the schooner had barely lost her way when I saw a boat drop from her harbor quarter and pull toward us, while another came around her bow and followed. They were both filled with well-armed men, as could be seen by the glitter of musketry, and the way they came over the whitecaps showed their temper. It showed temper, too, in the smart manner they boarded me, the first boat hooking on to the main channels, the men clambering out with scarcely a shout and no questions, and in a twinkling I beheld half a score of them on my deck, they, I fancy, being mightily surprised at having met with no resistance.

The crisis was now at hand, and I played my first card with something of the desperation of a ruined gambler. Striding up to an officer whom I saw coming aft with rare sword in hand, I said:

"Ye show scant courtesy in boarding me, sir. Had you turned up an hour ago, 'twould have been to some purpose."

"Who in—I are you? Where's the captain of this ship?" was the excited rejoinder.

Now there was something about the tone of his voice, the way of calling a schooner a ship, as well as the get-up of the man himself, that, angered as I was at his reply, made me back a pace and look at him. A quick glance showed me I was not dealing with a man bred to the sea, much less to the regular service, for, though I then had small knowledge of the uniforms of the British, I knew that which graced the back of the officer before me was not of his majesty's navy.

I knew it by its cut and garniture, and the land flavor of the man lay also in the fact that he wore a forage cap and carried a cavalry sabre instead of a cutlass. His face, too, lacked the true sea tan, its fair complexion showing the effects of unusual exposure to sun and wind. What his rank might be I had no idea, and speculation was lost in the quick retort that naturally rose to my lips.

"Who are you, sir, to tumble aboard a prize of his majesty's in this fashion? Ye stand in need of a lesson in marine manners as well as marine matters. Do ye hope to judge of a craft's cargo by a squint at her hatch cover, or of a man by the cut of his jib? Think not to deceive yourself or me! I know my rights, and also know the difference betwixt the cry of a sea bird and a hen-hawk!"

If I had any doubt as to the official position of the officer, it was set at rest by the subdued laugh that came from the group about us. Piqued by the sound of mirth from those he had no power to reach, his face turned to an ugly red, and, lifting his sabre as though to cut me down, he shouted:

"You insolent dog! I will make you sweat for this! Lay hold of him, some of you! Tie the villain up! Damnation! are you all cowards?" he continued, as there was a shuffle of feet, though no one approached me. There is no telling what might have been the upshot of this dispute had there been no interruption, for the fellow seemed determined to use his sabre on me. But, fortunately for one of us, we were joined by another officer, whom I afterward found had come from the second boat.

"Hold hard, Scammell! You are not handling one of your own dragons! What is this all about? You fly the signal of a prize, sir," he continued, turning to me; "how comes it you are alone? Who and what are you?"

"I am Captain Jack Lounsbury, bearing instructions from Sir Henry Clinton, as that cockatrice might have found ere this had he used a smooth tongue. This is my prize—a Yankee schooner laden with lead for New London, and taken by me single-handed. There lies her skipper, and all but one of her crew are overboard." And with this I pointed to the body of my mate.

I had hardly spoken when two marines came aft with the negro Stote betwixt them. He was trembling like a sail in the wind, and hung his head as though he had lost all strength to lift it. I was looking for an exposure on the instant, but the officer waved them back with a motion. There was an unspoken but plainly shown respect for me in the demeanor of the crowd as it spread away. The two officers stood for a moment in undisguised wonder at the recital of my prowess, giving alternate glances at the body and myself, and then the last comer, who was plainly the one in authority, spoke:

"You alone did this? By St. George, Scammell, you can't be getting into a mess! I promised to show you a sea scolding, but not the kind you were hatching. Let us have further warrant of these facts," he continued to me. "Who was he?" pointing toward the scupper, "and when did this happen? Let us come by the papers."

"Yonder fellow is Donald Thorndyke, the master till I overcame him," I answered. "I shipped as mate. If you will go below we can come by the whole matter." I replied, not caring to extend my yarn with the negro within hearing. "Or, better, we can take what we there find and go aboard before your captain, where the whole matter may be boiled down at once."

"I would be a saving of time, certainly," he answered, "but we'll hear the yarn while the schooner is being searched; of course, you understand the importance of the form." And he turned to a sea corporal and gave him the necessary orders. "Now, sir, I am at your service," he said, crossing the deck toward the cabin companion. Hesitating there, he seemed to hang in the wind for an instant, and then strode over to the body.

"Did you shoot him?" he asked, as he bent over the prostrate form.

"Nay, I struck him," I answered.

"Faith, then," he returned, sizing me up with a side glance, "I'd sooner take the chance of a bullet than a blow from that fist if you struck in earnest! Did he wig you at the onset?"

"Nay, nay; 'twas a nigger striving to knife me in the back. Let's below. Mayhap ye have a doctor aboard who will fix up a bad cut."

Through all this I was conscious of the eye of Scammell fixed on me. Whether or not he was suspicious of me, or whether he was still boiling under the dressing I had given him, there were no means of telling. I saw plainly the resentment he made little effort to conceal, and felt that I had made an enemy who would be mighty glad to cross swords with me on the slightest provocation. He was 28 or 30 in years, or so about my own age, and was under me not two inches in stature, which was speaking well for him, as I stood three inches above six feet, unshod. My weight and brawn I well overmatched him (as I did most men), especially in the latter quality of physique; but he made a typical dragon officer, and would be a formidable antagonist in any field.

I might hope for little mercy if I fell into the power of this man, for mercy was a quality which, strained or unstrained, he and his fellows had naught to do with. This I made sure of on getting into the cabin, where, in course of conversation it turned out that he was a captain in De Lancey's Royal Legion, a body of tory cavalry half freebooters and half in the regular service. I had heard of them, as who has not? Betwixt New York and Philadelphia and the country surrounding both places they were a terror, the malignancy equaling if not surpassing the rapacity of Tryon himself.

I tried to get my fingers on him then and there, that there might be one less blood-sucker above ground, but policy held me from committing an act which probably would have at once wrought ruin to my plans and left my poor mother without a son. I was, therefore, bound to treat him with civility, which I did when a word to him was necessary, but skipping over the thin ice of politeness.

In my turn at questioning I found that the enemy was the Sprite, an American capture, refitted and renamed, one of the last of Howe's fleet as (Lounsbury had surmised), bearing two passengers beside her usual complement of men, and bound for New York to meet General Clinton, back on his overland trip from Philadelphia to that city.

Now we had been sitting below for upward of an hour, drinking my rum and making game of the rebels on land and sea (though once, when I spoke of John Paul Jones, I saw I was on dangerous ground, and belayed my tongue, cursing the liquor for having loosened it), when the companion way was darkened by a marine, who, jerking a salute, said, with a scarcely controlled grin:

"We have another prisoner, sir."

"Another!" exclaimed the lieutenant, starting up and giving me a stern look. "What's the meaning of this, Lounsbury? Are you dealing fairly?"

I was as surprised as he, and had no answer to make, but before my confusion became manifest the marine again spoke.

"'Tis the dead man came to life, sir. We were flushing him an' the deck, an' 'twas the water as fetched him, sir."

"Glad I am 'tis no worse," said the officer with a laugh. "I feared I smelled a trick. You American-born are the devil and all at playing deep games, and, faith! for a second I thought you might have cozened me. Let us to the deck."

I had sudden reason to turn my curse from the liquor, for had it not been in me I doubt not I would have fallen backward. Like a drowning man, I had visions passing through my mind with a rapidity that makes description impossible. My very strength gave out for the moment, but there was enough left to get me to my feet and follow the others to the deck.

I have faced death since, and well-nigh shaken hands with it, but never did the knowledge of its nearness affect me as did the words of the marine; and 'twould take more than money to make me go through a like thirty seconds, or the time it took me to get from the cabin.

Lounsbury had been moved, and lay on his back on the deck with his head resting on the edge of the helm grating. He was looking from the scupper that had brought him to life, but I sent up a mental thanksgiving on the discovery that it had not also brought him to reason. The sole sign of vitality lay in the fact that he breathed. There was a hoarse and hollow tone at each heave of his broad chest, which I knew to be due to his broken head; and though I felt him to be a deadly enemy and a churl house for morals there was a pity in it to see the abject helplessness of the once powerful figure as it sprawled on the hot, white planking.

Scammell stooped for the man's pulse, peering closely into his face the while, and then for a moment the whole load of anxiety came back on me as he straightened up and said:

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And a picture she made as she stood there turned toward us. High breeding shone in the delicate contour of chin and cheek, dark eyes and clearly cut straight nose, but 'twas the small mouth with its fine red lips half open as though in inquiry that held me in the sweetest, while the mass of auburn hair, dressed high, as was the fashion of the times, gave a touch of perfection to her countenance.

The vision—for 'twas more akin to a vision than reality—lasted but a breath, for Scammell thrust his form betwixt us, and made rapid steps toward the companion way, while I, with a hand wave to the others, joined the doctor in the boat.

The surgeon, a tall, raw-boned Irishman, afflicted with a strong after-dinner hic-cough and a desire to talk, settled back in the stern sheets, and voluntarily fell into an explanation of a lady being on board the Sprite.

"An' ye know not Mrs. Badely, Sir Henry's light-o'-love? 'Tis a shame that king's officers be made to dance attendance to that ilk. Her ward seems to be of different clay, though. A bonny lass she is, an' a lonely one, having no great love for her guardian, as 'tis plain to see, an' few to turn a word with, saving Scammell. Did ye mark the way he slid to her when she lifted o'er the hatch? 'Tis in my mind he's jealous of the deck her foot lights on, an' he hangs about her like a brooding hen. 'Twas a sorry move Sir Henry made when he lit on him for a guard of honor to Mrs. Badely and Gertrude King. Bad for him, I mean, since 'tis plain he's struck between wind and water by the lass, though, in my mind, she'll have little to do with the likes of 'im after setting foot ashore."

From this and other rambling talk I gathered that the Sprite was taking two ladies from Philadelphia to New York—ladies high in favor with Gen. Clinton—and that one of them, Mrs. Badely, was the famous beauty to whom the doughty knight had given his heart without the honorable accompaniment of his hand and name. Her notoriety had even spread beyond the British lines, and much of the opportune inactivity of the enemy was explained as due to the fascination of his mistress and the inability of the commander to withdraw from her influence and take the field.

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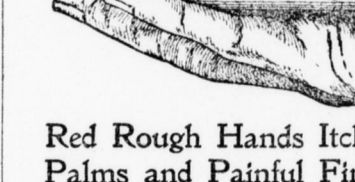
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The girl even with an almost limitless income should be taught to know that she is one of the fortunate few, that perhaps her girl associates must be as careful of their pennies as she is of her dollars, and that without show or any indication of patronage she should always meet and never neglect any obligation.

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Eulalie of Spain. Long before she ever came east Miss Jackson's talent had attracted much notice, and it was her admirers, amongst them the Vanderbilts and the Pullmans, who subscribed for her further education in the old world; and after spending two years in Paris she went to Berlin and there worked under Dr. Joachim for four, and in October, 1896, made a most brilliant debut at the Berlin philharmonic concerts, her master conducting. Miss Jackson is always accompanied by her brother, who is a very clever pianist and his sister's most devoted admirer. —St. Paul's (London).

CRUMBS OF BREAD.

How to Prepare Them So That They Can Be Kept Almost Indefinitely Without Molding.

Crumbs of bread are always valuable in breading chops and other meats for frying, to spread over scalloped dishes, fried meats, fish and for other purposes, as well as for puddings and sweet dishes.

The secret of preparing these crumbs so they will keep indefinitely without mold is to dry them so that all moisture is removed from them. Spread the bread on a tin in the warming oven under or above the stove, as it is located, and after it is perfectly dry roll it out and sift the crumbs. Roll out those that will not go through the sieve, and roll and sift them again until there is merely a handful of crumbs in the sieve. These few coarse crumbs are valuable for frying in butter, when used to scatter over macaroni, noodles and other pastes prepared to serve with meats. For puddings dried crumbs should have boiling milk poured over them, and they should remain soaking in the milk for half an hour or longer until the milk has cooled, when eggs, raisins or fruit is added and seasoning is put in. Such puddings are excellent baked slowly or boiled in a form. For stuffing the soft crumbs inside a loaf of stale bread are used instead of dry crumbs. Dried crumbs make sweeter puddings. Toasts for use as a garnish to soup or to serve with game or chicken, should be cut up in ornamental shapes in the quantity while soft, dried thoroughly and stored away in boxes for use when required. When needed, brush them over with melted butter and brown them in the oven or fry them a delicate brown in hot fat. —N. Y. Tribune.

A Cover for Brooms.

A broom cover of cotton flannel in any dark color is a veritable boon to a tired housekeeper. Fit the cover closely over the broom in bag fashion tying it closely with a string run in the upper hem. The best colors for these covers are dark gray, red or any other color that does not crock after sweeping off the kitchen floor or any painted or hardwood floor. Go over it with a covered broom, and every particle of dust can be easily taken up and the floor polished almost as bright as if it had been rubbed with a cloth by hand. A covered broom is valuable for sweeping piazzas as well as for sweeping down walls.

Gloss for Shirt Fronts.

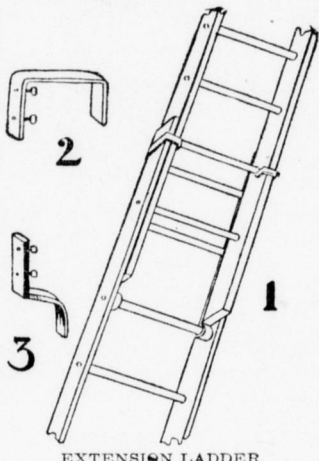
Pound two ounces of fine white gum arabic to a powder, put it in a pitcher and pour over it one pint of boiling water. Cover and let it set all night. Carefully pour from the dregs into a clean bottle. Cork and keep for use. One tablespoonful stirred into a pint of starch produces a lovely gloss on linen, and is quite harmless to the material.



EXTENSION LADDER.

Description and Pictures of One That Is Easily Made and Operated Without Difficulty.

Upon almost every farm a tall ladder would be very convenient, especially in painting tall buildings, picking apples, etc., but when a ladder is over 20 feet long it is very hard to handle, especially if one man has to do it alone. For high work I find that an extension ladder is very handy, and I will try to describe one that is easily made and operated. Make two ladders of any length you desire, but I prefer 15 feet. Make the bottom one wide enough to admit the top one inside of the frame. On the rounds at the top of the bottom



EXTENSION LADDER.

section bolt two flat pieces of iron on the outside and bend them over so that when the top section is laid on the rounds they will hold it in place. On the lower ends of the top section bolt two irons and let them come down straight, and at the end bend a half circle, so they will just fit over the rounds; this will support the bottom of the top section and the irons at the top will hold it in place. The ladder can be doubled up and placed where you want it. Push the top section up when you desire to climb higher and stop whenever you want it by simply setting the irons upon a round. If it is not wanted for an extension ladder it can be slipped apart and used as two single ladders. The illustrations will show its construction. Fig. 2 in the cut shows the iron that holds the ladder together. It is four inches wide at the top, the side that has the bolts is three inches and the short side one inch long. At 3 is shown the iron that is fastened to lower end of top section. —M. C. Thomas, in Ohio Farmer.

Raising Peaches from Seed.

The prevalence of yellows among peaches makes their propagation by budding a danger in spreading the disease. It is in the sap and if any tree which the knife cuts into to make a place for the bud is affected with yellows, the taint will be retained by the knife and spread the yellows to all the trees inoculated. It is quite easy to be sure that a rich, luscious peach is not affected with yellows, especially if gathered from the tree. The pit from such a peach ought to produce a valuable seedling and free from disease. The low repute of seedling peaches dates from the time when the natural fruit was about the only kind grown. But even then some valuable seedlings were found in every seedling produced. —American Cultivator.

The Feed and the Cows.

There is considerable in a cow's possibility to give a good quality of rich milk, but it is easy to have that possibility ruined by poor feed and care in bringing up and developing. On the other hand, no amount of food and care will induce a cow that gives thin, poor milk to turn about and give milk which is rich in solids. Good feed and good care will help develop many cows that have been neglected, but if there is any decided improvement it will be made with cows that are born to be good, but have not had the opportunity. To get the most out of any cow, good or bad, good feed and care are necessary, but it is the good cow that gives the best returns when well fed and cared for. —Daily World.

The Importance of Drainage.

Wet land should be drained, as it may be the most fertile on the farm. By the use of drain tile there will be no unsightly open ditches, and the field can be cultivated as easily as any other. If the land is not very wet the cost of drainage will be but little, and such land will be just as valuable for pasture as before, with the added advantage of being adapted to a greater variety of grasses than formerly. It can then also come under the regular crop rotation. If a plot has been too wet to use for ordinary crops it will also be too wet for grass some years, and when drained it will produce green food earlier in spring and later in the fall.

Teach the Lambs to Feed.

The little lamb should be taught to eat as soon as possible, by keeping feed in a trough in a pen near by, so arranged that the lambs can go in and out at will. This should be kept up until the ewe can go through the same hole that the lamb does, even feeding the lambs after the sheep go on grass. If ever a sheep is to have short rations, don't let it be during the first three months of its life. The same might be said of any other kind of stock. Dock the lambs and castrate the ram lambs when about two weeks old. —Farmers' Review.

COMMERCIAL WIT.

A Parcel of Pans That Were Worked Off All Right But They Didn't Take.

Four traveling men sat on the sidewalk in front of the Windsor the other night telling stories. The man who smoked stogies had just finished a somnambulist tale.

"Reminds me of what the pickpocket said to his fellow prisoner," commented the man with the nasal blossom.

"What was that?"

"I am here, gentlemen," he said, "as the result of a moment of abstraction."

The pun fell with a dull, sickening thud. But the man who smoked stogies came to the front again.

"Like the incendiary, eh? There is some similarity. He was there because of his habit of making light of things."

The blossom man gave a nod, as if he were casually remarking. There was a three-minute stage wait and the man who liked apple jack gave way to curiosity.

"Why?"

"As he said, through nothing but taking advantage of an opening which offered in a large mercantile establishment."

The blossom man had departed, leaving a wide, far-reaching void. —St. Paul Globe.

Talmage and the Composer.

"Many years ago, when my sermons first attracted the attention of city editors," said Dr. Talmage in a recent conversation, "you reporters used to make me fume and fret, but since I have come to know you better I have transferred my wrath to your adversary, the composer. My eyes were opened when, after annoying blunders in print, I determined to report my own sermons for a certain New York morning paper. It chanced that the first time I reported myself I was preaching a sermon on the Penitential Psalms, in which sermon I said, with emphasis:

"You will notice that in these verses the name of God does not appear once. Is not this significant?"

"Calm and confident that this time the sense of my sermon would not be distorted by careless reporting, I picked up the paper on Monday morning and read:

"You will notice that in these verses the name of God does not appear once. Is not this magnificent?" —Philadelphia Saturday Post.

Give the Children a Drink

called Grain-O. It is a delicious, appetizing, nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee. Sold by all grocers and liked by all who have used it, because when properly prepared it tastes like the finest coffee but is free from all its injurious properties. Grain-O aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulant but a health builder, and children, as well as adults, can drink it with great benefit. Costs about 25¢ as much as coffee. 15¢ and 25¢.

Good for Girls Only.

Dewey anecdotes relate that the admiral traces his start in life to a severe whipping a school teacher gave him, whereupon he resolved to lead a new life. This anecdote will be read out loud by the mothers, but it will not fool any boy. It is harder to fool a boy than a girl with fairy tales. —Atchison Globe.

Honest Methods Win.

This is a fact that sometimes is overlooked in these days of hurry and scramble, but it is a fact none the less. The success of the John M. Smyth Co., Chicago, whose advertisements are appearing in this paper, is a marked illustration in point. A tremendous business has been built up by this firm strictly on its merits. Good goods properly described and offered at a very low price, the unlimited capital of the firm enabling it to buy on extremely advantageous terms. See the striking advertisement elsewhere in this issue and write the John M. Smyth Co., 150 to 166 West Madison St., Chicago, for its mammoth catalogue. Every family should have it.

Nothing in a Pet Name.

When you see a man over six feet tall, who weighs about 220, and his shoes are so big he has to get them made, you can be pretty sure that some one calls him "Artie" or "Sweetums" or something. —N. Y. Press.

Lane's Family Medicine.

Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25¢ and 50¢.

"Of all the delegates that I met at that Christian Endeavor convention," said Dr. Hill, "I liked him the best who, on being asked what his business was, said: 'I am a cheer-up-odist.' —Success.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25¢.

Some people are mighty "independent" in their ways who have no reason to be. —Atchison Globe.

I believe Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my boy's life last summer. —Mrs. Allie Douglass, LeRoy, Mich., Oct. 20, '94.

The first umbrella appeared in 1777. The last one disappeared about 40 minutes after we bought it. —Elliott's Magazine.

Hall's Catarrh Cure Is taken Internally. Price 75¢.

Uneasy lies the head that wears a bonnet in which a large-sized political bee is continually buzzing. —Chicago Daily News.

One-half the defeats could be turned into victories by a little effort. —Atchison Globe.

It is affection to use a long word when a short one will do just as well. —Elliott's Magazine.

Ded broke. "I hear you called on the lady's father last night. How'd he like your suit?" "Hardly any. Very much, I think. He kept half the coat collar when I left." —Philadelphia Record.

An Easy One. —He entered the cheap restaurant and took a seat at one of the tables. "Will you have a 15-cent dinner or a 25-cent one?" inquired a waiter. "Is there any real difference?" "Certainly." "What is it?" "Ten cents." —Ohio State Journal.

A Conan Doyle says that for absent-mindedness he holds the world's championship, but we doubt if he could win out against the Colorado woman who put her baby in the oven to roast, and sang a lullaby in an endeavor to soothe to sleep the stuffed turkey she rocked in the cradle. —Denver Post.

Visitor (to host whose daughter is nursing a piano in a litter for a son-in-law): "I'll tell you what it is, sir. Your daughter is a powerful performer; she gets out of the instrument all there is in it." Host: "I'd be thankful if she got out the \$500 I put in it." —Richmond Dispatch.

He (a tutor): "Grammarians have never been sure of the proper distinction between 'I shall' and 'I will,' but to my mind there is no difficulty. She—" "I don't quite know the distinction myself." He (thinking he sees his opportunity): "Well, take the question: 'Will you marry me?' Supposing I ask you, your reply would be not 'I will,' but 'I see' (emphatically). —I won't." —Judy.

A Horse on Him. —"Say, Dennis, d'ye know Jamie came to home on a furlough?" "Un' plowhat's a furlough?" "G'lan yer ignorance, it's wan uv them new wagons what runs widout a horse." —Pittsburgh Press.

Dollie. —"Have you read 'The Day's Work'?" "Chile, 'The Day's Work'? How doosidly vulgar!" —Indianapolis Journal.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS FREE.

One of the Grandest Offers Ever Made.

The first five persons procuring the Endless Chain Starch Book from their grocer will each obtain one large 100 package of "Red Cross" starch, one large 100 package of "HUBINGER'S BEST" starch, two Shakespeare pictures, printed in twelve beautiful colors, as natural as life, or one Twentieth Century Girl Calendar, the finest of its kind ever printed, all absolutely free. All others procuring the Endless Chain Starch Book will obtain from their grocer two large 100 packages of starch for 5¢, and the beautiful premiums, which are being given away. This offer is only made for a short time to further introduce the famous "RED CROSS" starch, and the celebrated "HUBINGER'S BEST" cold-water starch. "RED CROSS" laundry starch is something entirely new, and is without doubt the greatest invention of the Twentieth Century. It has no equal, and surpasses all others. It has won for itself praise from all parts of the United States. It has superseded everything heretofore used, or known to science in the laundry art. It is made from wheat, rice and corn, and is chemically prepared upon scientific principles, by J. C. Hubinger, an expert in the laundry profession, who has had 25 years of practical experience in fancy laundering, and who is the first successful and original inventor of all fine grades of starch in the United States. If you would have the best, ask for "RED CROSS" and "HUBINGER'S BEST," which are the finest starches on the market to-day. The jobbing houses all handle it, the retail grocer has it on his shelves, you find it in all the homes, while the careful housewife has adorned the walls of the home with the beautiful Shakespeare pictures, which are being given away in introducing "RED CROSS" and "HUBINGER'S BEST" starch.

Some smart men are fools for revenue only. —Chicago Daily News.

THE PUBLIC.

Something for Sharks in All Lines of Business to Prey Upon.

"You must remember," said the man who was arguing with great volubility and self-approval, "that we owe a duty to the public."

"Who is the public?" inquired Mr. Blykins, abruptly.

"Why—er—the masses, you know; the general populace."

"No," said Mr. Blykins, with emphasis, "you got the wrong idea. The public is something to be roped in; to be gouged; to be walked over. To the sugar trust the public is a great congregation of confectionery consumers. To the beef trust the public is a vast menagerie of carnivorous bipeds. To the politician it is a collection of persons who have influence at elections; to the theatrical manager, a crowd of people in front of the box office eager to get rid of money; to the street car conductor, a lot of creatures who ought to be made to step lively."

"You think the public gets imposed upon all around?"

"Yes. It doesn't deserve any better, and retribution is always waiting. The man who imposes on the public in one respect lapses back into the general category of something else and is imposed on in his turn. It's a heartless business all the way through. One great and elaborate scheme of imposition. What people ought to do is to hold primaries in all parts of the civilized world and send delegates to The Hague to see if they can't discuss something like a disarmament scheme by which the people of this earth can be persuaded to quit imposing on one another. —Washington Star.

Motto of the Siamese Nation.

Have you heard the motto of the government of Siam? And having heard it, have you repeated it? And having repeated it, have you caught its purely personal application? And having caught it, have you tried it on your friends? This is the motto: "Ah Wa Ta Nas Siam." It sounds unimpeachable nonsense, but keep saying it over as long as you can and as fast as you can and you will discover at last that the eastern patois has a western sense that is classically many a remorseful subject of Uncle Sam. For "Ah Wa Ta Nas Siam" is easily evolved into "Ah, what an ass I am." —Chicago Chronicle.

Some people run as easily as the color in red bunting. —Atchison Globe.

When you hate a man, either fight him or say nothing. —Atchison Globe.

EVERY woman suffering from any female trouble can be helped by Mrs. Pinkham. This statement is based on sound reasoning and an unrivaled record. Multitudes of America's women to-day bless Mrs. Pinkham for competent and common-sense advice. Write to her if you are ill. Her address is Lynn, Mass. Absolutely no charge is made for advice. "I suffered seven years and would surely have died but for your help," writes Mrs. Geo. BAINBRIDGE, Morea, Pa., to Mrs. Pinkham. "It is with pleasure I now write to inform you that I am now a healthy woman, thanks to your kind advice and wonderful medicine. I can never praise it enough. I was a constant sufferer from womb trouble, and leucorrhoea, had a continual pain in abdomen. Sometimes I could not walk across the floor for three or four weeks at a time. Since using your medicine, I now have no more bearing-down pains, or tired feelings, and am well and hearty. I shall recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to all my suffering friends as the greatest remedy for all female weakness."

SAFE COUNSEL FOR SICK WOMEN

MRS. SUSIE J. WEAVER, 1821 Calhoun St., Philadelphia, Pa., writes:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I had inflammation of the womb and painful menstruation, and by your advice I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Have taken four bottles and used one package of Sanative Wash and feel like a new woman. I thank you so much for what your medicine has done for me."

MRS. M. BAUMANN, 771 W. 21st St., Chicago, Ill., writes: "After two months' trial of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I can not say enough in praise for it. I was a very sick woman with womb trouble when I began its use, but now I am well."

JOHN M. SMYTH CO. 150 TO 166 WEST MADISON ST. CHICAGO. HOW CAN THEY BE SOLD AT THE PRICE?

Here is an organ possessing all the latest up-to-date improvements. The case is made of solid oak, 4 sawed and elegantly finished; it is 37 inches high, 42 inches wide and 23 inches deep; the beautiful canopy top is hand-carved and has a French beveled plate mirror. The action contains the very latest improvements and is also fitted with the automatic valve which prevents any possible overstraining of the bellows. The tone is everything that can be desired, being rich, full and sweet and equal to that in many higher priced organs. Has five octaves with a grand total of 122 reeds, three sets of octaves and two sets of two octaves each. Has 11 stops — diapason, dulciana, principal, melodia, celesta, cromona, bass coupler, tremolo coupler, diapason forte, vox humana, grand organ and knee swell. We guarantee absolute and perfect satisfaction or money refunded. We also allow you the privilege of returning it at any time within 30 days of receipt if you are not perfectly satisfied. We also include with each organ an elegant stool and a valuable instruction book. All orders are promptly and carefully filled. This is certainly a bargain at a wonderfully low price. We will send to any address upon receipt of \$5.00 as a guarantee of good faith, but we advise cash with order, whereby you save extra charges, while we guarantee to refund your money if you are not perfectly satisfied.

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Our stock of new dress fabrics in black and colors is now complete and we are showing the largest and best collection in the city and at the lowest prices.

Among the particularly attractive things for early fall note the following:

36-inch silk and wool granite and cashmere plaids in new color effects, 35c yard, worth 50c.

36-inch all-wool camel's hair plaids, choice color combinations, splendid quality at 50c yard.

46-inch German all-wool, silk-finished Henrietta in street and evening shades, regular 75c quality for 59c yard.

46-inch all-wool French whipcords, in the most desirable fall shades, 59c yard, worth 75c.

52-inch all-wool, Venetian suitings, 56-inch homespun suitings, 54-inch knickerbocker tweeds and 52-inch shrunken chevrons, all new and superior weaves in this season's colors, special value, 75c yard.

52-inch all-wool fine broadcloths and Venetian cloths in a superb line of street and evening shades. These are among the stylish weaves this season, prices \$1.00 to \$3.50 yard.

Elegant new plaids, camel-hair cloths, homespun lamb's woolsuitings and broadcloths, 46 to 56 inches wide, prices \$1.00 to \$2.50 yard. This includes the grandest stock of plaid dress fabrics ever shown in Buffalo.

Tailor suitings and cloths in all the fashionable weaves of the season, including a larger line of double-faced golf cloths, \$1.00 to \$7.00 yard.

Black dress goods of every description. Beautiful black crepons at moderate prices.

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Winter?
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UP-TO-DATE CLOTHIERS.

We took time by the forelock and made our purchases of

FALL AND WINTER

CLOTHING,

Thereby securing the cream of the market. Times are not as they used to be—"the early bird catches the worm." Our customers shall have the benefit. In clothing we have secured the very popular

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BALTIMORE CLOTHING.

This firm manufactures the best goods in the market and we are pleased to show our customers their clothing.

STYLISH HATS.

When we say we have the most stylish line of late fall and all-winter shapes in Hats we mean just what we say. We have never yet seen a larger or better line in this county.

ALL UP-TO-DATE,

We have recently disposed of all old goods and our present line has been selected new in every department.

R. SEGER & SON.

Emporium, Pa.

ALL SORTS.

"If you scour the world you will never find a remedy equal to One Minute Cough Cure," says Editor Packler, of the Micanopy, Fla. "Hustler." It cured his family of La Grippe and saves thousands from pneumonia, bronchitis, croup and all throat and lung troubles. R. C. Dodson. 8ly

The Norristown Conference of the Lutheran Ministerium met yesterday in the Six-Cornered Church, near Pennsylvania.

President King, Farmer's Bank, Brooklyn, Mich., has used DeWitt's Little Early Risers in his family for years. Says they are the best. These famous little pills cure constipation, biliousness and all liver and bowel troubles. R. C. Dodson. 8ly

The Reading Railway Company shipped 350,000 tons of anthracite coal to dealers in Reading during the past year.

"When our boys were almost dead from whooping cough, our doctor gave One Minute Cough Cure. They recovered rapidly," writes P. B. Belles, Argyle, Pa. It cures coughs, colds, grippe and all throat and lung troubles. R. C. Dodson. 8ly

At a sale of Brewer George F. Dauer's personal property, in Reading a clock was sold for \$430.

"It did me more good than anything I ever used. My dyspepsia was of months' standing; after eating it was terrible. Now I am well," writes S. B. Keener, Hoisington, Kan., of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat. R. C. Dodson. 8ly

The Government's profits from the Reading Post Office this year will reach \$50,000.

The "Plow Boy Preacher," Rev. J. Kirkman, Belle River, Ill., says, "After suffering from bronchial or lung trouble for ten years, I was cured by One Minute Cough Cure. It is all that is claimed for it and more." It cures coughs, colds, grippe and all throat and lung troubles. R. C. Dodson. 8ly

Thieves in Pottstown go into churches during service and steal overcoats.

Joseph Stockford, Hodgdon, Me., healed a sore running for seventeen years and cured his piles of long standing by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cures all skin diseases. R. C. Dodson. 8ly

The Ringing Rocks trolley line, at Pottstown, has closed for the winter.

Millions of dollars is the value placed by Mrs. Mary Bird, Harrisburg, Pa., on the life of her child, which she saved from croup by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. It cures all coughs, colds and throat and lung troubles. R. C. Dodson. 8ly

Reading cigar factories have more orders than ever before.

Eat plenty, Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will digest what you eat. It cures all forms of dyspepsia and stomach troubles. E. R. Gamble, Vernon, Tex., says, "It relieved me from the start and cured me. It is now my everlasting friend." R. C. Dodson. 8ly

The torpedo boat Talbot has been detailed to make a trip through the Dismal Swamp Canal to the sounds on the south.

During the winter of 1897 Mr. James Reed, one of the leading citizens and merchants of Clay, Clay Co., W. Va., struck his leg against a cake of ice in such a manner as to bruise it severely. It became very much swollen and pained him so badly that he could not walk without the aid of crutches. He was treated by physicians, also used several kinds of liniment and two and a half gallons of whiskey in bathing it, but nothing gave any relief until he began using Chamberlain's Pain Balm. This brought almost a complete cure in a week's time and he believes that had he not used this remedy his leg would have had to be amputated. Pain Balm is unequalled for sprains, bruises and rheumatism. For sale by L. Taggart. oct

The official speed trial of the 30-knot torpedo boat destroyer Dehlgren will take place at Bath, Me., next Monday.

On the 10th of December, 1897, Rev. S. A. Donahoe, pastor M. E. Church, South Pt. Pleasant, W. Va., contracted a severe cold which was attended from the beginning by violent coughing. He says: "After resorting to a number of so-called 'specifics,' usually kept in the house, to no purpose, I purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy which acted like a charm. I most cheerfully recommend to the public." For sale by L. Taggart. oct

Gold certificates issued yesterday footed up \$6,063,120 making a grand total since August 5 of \$108,124,580.

I wish to express my thanks to the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, for having put on the market such a wonderful medicine," says W. W. Massingill, of Beaumont, Texas. There are many thousands of mothers whose children have also been saved from attacks of dysentery and cholera infantum who must also feel thankful. For sale by L. Taggart. oct

Not many applications for the anticipation of interest after November 1 have reached the Treasury.

Nature can only feed the flame of life with the food eaten which is digested. Herbine will reinvigorate a weak stomach, and so improve digestion as to insure the natural bloom of health. Price 50c. L. Taggart. oct

Secretary Root says General Ludlow will not be relieved of command at Havana.

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SOLDIERS IN THE VAN.

Auspicious Beginning of What Promises to Be a Notable Campaign, With Patriotism and Party Fervor on Every Hand.

(Special Correspondence.) Philadelphia, Oct. 19.—The opening guns of the Republican campaign in the old Keystone state were fired yesterday, and from now on until election day there will be an unceasing canvass in the interest of Lieutenant Colonel James E. Barnett, J. Hay Brown and Josiah R. Adams, the nominees on the state ticket. This is an important year in the politics of the country. It is generally recognized that this struggle is but the skirmish of the great presidential battle that is to be waged next year. Everywhere throughout the Union the lines are sharply drawn and Republicans have placed the name of Major William McKinley upon their banners, and they are preparing to give him a magnificent vote of confidence in his triumphant re-election to the presidency. In Pennsylvania, the first state where the Republican state convention led off with an unqualified declaration for his re-nomination, the issue is squarely presented.

General Frank Reeder, chairman of the Republican state committee, has completed the itinerary for the first two weeks of the canvass. The olden time political methods are to be set aside and the orators, with few exceptions, will be soldiers. Stalwart Republicanism and a loyal support of the president in the present national crisis



and there is no doubt that there will be exhibitions of patriotic fervor and enthusiasm similar to those given throughout the West, where President McKinley and his cabinet are addressing the people. This is undoubtedly a patriotic year in the old Keystone state, and with the gallant young soldier and the campaign in Luzon, Lieutenant Colonel James E. Barnett, as a standard bearer on the stump, Republicans feel that they will continue to receive popular support at the polls.

SOLDIER ORATORS.

While there will be some interchanging of the spellbinders as the tour advances, those who have been assigned to accompany Colonel Barnett are Major J. W. Kilian, of the First Nebraska, who fought with Barnett in the Philippines, and who has come east to spend at least a couple of weeks stumping the state for his comrade in arms; Major George W. Neff, senior surgeon of the Tenth Pennsylvania, who had charge of the district hospital at Cavite and who is a graduate of Jefferson Medical college, where his father studied back in the '30's; Captain Thomas S. Crago, of New Brighton; Lieutenant-Captain H. J. Watson, of Beaver Falls; Lieutenant Blaine Aiken, of Washington, and Private Charles Playford, of Uniontown, all of the Tenth regiment; Colonel Robert Ralston, of the Third Pennsylvania Infantry, whose regiment entertained the Tenth on their recent visit to this city; Colonel Charles M. Clement of Sunbury, and others.

General Gobin will have with him General John A. Wiley, a veteran of the civil war, who also served in the Porto Rico campaign; General Thomas



MAJOR NEFF, Of the Fighting Tenth.

J. Stewart, General James W. Latta and other civil war veterans, and Adjutant Oliver S. Scott, Corporal W. T. Dom, Bugler Herbert M. Smith, Private Alexander B. Young, Private Jesse Wall, all of the Tenth regiment; Captain Frank Barr, Captain J. B. Robinson and Lieutenant Captain Johnson, of the Sixteenth Pennsylvania volunteers, who made a splendid record in Porto Rico, and others.

BARNETT'S ITINERARY.

The Barnett party will cover the following assignments:

Tuesday, 10th—Morning and afternoon, Pine Grove; evening, Pottsville, Schuylkill county.

Wednesday, 11th—Morning, Tamaqua, Mahanoy city, Shenandoah, Ash-

land, Schuylkill county; evening, Mauch Chunk, Carbon county.

Thursday, 12th—Morning, Hazleton; evening, Wilkesbarre, Luzerne county.

Friday, 13th—Morning, Scranton; afternoon, Carbondale; evening, Scranton, Lackawanna county.

Saturday, 14th—Afternoon, Stroudsburg, Monroe county; evening, Easton, Northampton county.

Monday, 15th—Afternoon, Bethlehem, Northampton county; evening, Allentown, Lehigh county.

Tuesday, 17th—Evening, Reading, Berks county.

Wednesday, 18th—Afternoon, Columbia; evening, Lancaster, Lancaster county.

Thursday, 19th—Morning, Coatesville; afternoon and evening, West Chester, Chester county.

Friday, 20th—Morning and afternoon, Bristol, Bucks county; evening, Norristown, Montgomery county.

Saturday, 21st—Afternoon, Chester; evening, Media, Delaware county.

GOBIN'S SPELLBINDERS.

The itinerary of the Gobin party for the first two weeks follows:

Tuesday, 10th—Morning, Carlisle; evening, Chambersburg.

Wednesday, 11th—Morning, Duncannon, New Bloomfield and Newport, Perry county; evening, Milltown, Juniata county.

Thursday, 12th—Morning, Lewisville, Mifflin county; evening, Shamokin, Northumberland county.

Friday, 13th—Morning, Danville, Montour county; evening, Lewisburg, Union county.

Saturday, 14th—Morning, Lock Haven; evening, Williamsport.

Monday, 15th—Morning, Emporium, Cameron county; evening, Ridgway, Elk county.

Tuesday, 17th—Morning, Brookville, Jefferson county.

Wednesday, 18th—Kittanning, Armstrong county; evening, Butler, Butler county.

Thursday, 19th—Morning, Franklin, Venango county.

Friday, 20th—Morning, Mercer, Mercer county.

Saturday, 21st—Morning, Greenville, Mercer county; evening, Meadville, Crawford county.

The Barnett party addressed a big meeting in Lebanon last night, while the Gobin orators spent yesterday morning in York and the evening at Gettysburg.

THE TENTH'S GLEE CLUB.

A feature of the tour will be the singing of the quintet from the glee club of the Tenth Pennsylvania. While the boys were away from home in the far off Orient they formed very pleasant associations. They had a baseball nine, a football eleven and a glee club. This quintet has a number of campaign songs, which they sing at the several stopping places, and they are sure to get a cordial reception. The boys sing quite as well as they fought. Their performances are thoroughly enjoyed. According to the present arrangement the quintet will be with General Gobin's party, though they may be switched off to the other company at any time.

Reports received from the several counties indicate that great receptions are being arranged for the soldier-orators, and that the meetings will be unusually enthusiastic.

THE FIRST VOTERS.

Republican Party to Muster in Patriotic Young Americans.

PREPARING FOR NEXT YEAR.

Pennsylvania Will Enroll Thousands to Be in Line For the Great Presidential Struggle of 1900.

(Special Correspondence.)

Harrisburg, Oct. 19.—A feature of the present political canvass in Pennsylvania is the unusual interest taken in the Republican campaign by the young men of the state. Reports from all sections of the commonwealth tell the same story. "The first voters," young men who will go to the polls this fall for the first time, will cast an almost unanimous vote for the nominees of the Republican state convention. A careful canvass has been made to ascertain the sentiment of what are known as "the first voters," and the returns show that the action of the Democratic party in taking up Bryan as their national leader, in proclaiming for free silver and all the other wild-eyed doctrines of the Chicago platform and the more recent stand taken by the Bryanite leaders against the national administration in the conduct of the war, sympathizing with Aguinaldo and the insurgents, have practically shut the doors of the Democratic party to the young men of the country, who are actuated by loyal and patriotic motives in determining how they shall cast their first vote.

No better evidence of the enthusiasm that prevails among the young Republicans of Pennsylvania could be given than was displayed at the meeting of the convention of the State League of Republican Clubs that was held here last week. The Democrats were asserting that this gathering would be a "frost" for the Republican state campaign. It was anything but a "frost." There was a great attendance. The young men showed their interest in the canvass by eloquent and fervent addresses and the enthusiastic manner in which they received Lieutenant Colonel Barnett, Governor Stone, Attorney General Elkin, Mayor Ashbridge of Philadelphia and the others who addressed the convention.

STANDING BY MCKINLEY.

This is the platform they adopted: "The Republican League of Pennsylvania, in convention assembled, congratulate the people on the Republican victory which placed in the presidential chair that noble patriot, William McKinley, and which has resulted, by strict adherence to Republican principles, in rescuing the country from a financial crisis, and restoring to it an era of unparalleled prosperity."

"We heartily endorse the policy of

the national administration in its management of affairs in Porto Rico and Cuba, and pledge to the president our hearty support in the prosecution of the termination of the insurrection.

"We also endorse the platform adopted at the recent state convention, held in this city, and reaffirm our allegiance to the principles of protection, sound money and the extension of American commerce."

"We further pledge ourselves to the support of the entire Republican state ticket, and to the use of all honorable methods that will insure its success."

J. Hampton Moore, of Philadelphia, who was elected president of the league, was authorized to co-operate with State Chairman Reeder to have the league of clubs assist the regular party organization in every possible manner during the canvass. President Moore has since been in consultation with Chairman Reeder and they have agreed upon a plan of campaign which will give the young men of the Republican party a prominent place in the present campaign. They are preparing for next year's presidential battle, and they have decided that the club convention of next year shall be held in Philadelphia, where a splendid reception is promised the young Republicans of the state who may be elected delegates to the league convention.

THE YOUNG MAN'S PARTY.

That the Republican party opens the only proper channel for young men to enter public life and take an active part in public affairs should be apparent to all.

"This fall you will have the right to exercise that highest privilege of an American citizen, the elective franchise," says the Kittanning Tribune. "Your choice should be exercised wisely and well. You want to be on the right side as well as on the strong side. The Republican party wants young men. It wants bright, intelligent and active workers. It has a future before it, and you will have a future before you in the political arena. Other men have begun at the foot of the political ladder and worked themselves up to fame and fortune. Why not you? Look over the political fields of the past and you will see them strewn with the bodies of men who were wiser than party. Because some candidate whom they admired was defeated they listened to the siren and forsook their party to find out in years when they sought political preferment that their party had not forgotten their past record. Do not make this mistake. Do not forget that the world loves in politics, as in everything else, a firm, steady, constant and unwavering man. Success never comes to the fickle and unsteady."

WHAT THE PARTY OFFERS.

"The Republican party has much to offer you. It is the party of Lincoln, Grant, Blaine, Garfield and McKinley. It has a history of which it is proud, and looks forward to a still more glorious future. You never need blush for its past record. No member of it but was loyal to the Union. It freed the slaves. It opposed free trade. It favored an honest dollar. The prospects for its success never looked brighter. It has fulfilled every promise. Labor has never been so busy and the wheels of trade and commerce are turning as never before. We are going to elect the entire Republican ticket this fall, and next year the majority of the Republican candidate for president will exceed the 2,600 majority given McKinley. The workingman and the farmer are joining ranks because they believe the Republican party is their friend. Had the Democratic party been successful in forcing free trade upon the country there would not be the busy men that are now seen at the pottery at Ford City, the plate glass works at Ford City and the mills at Kittanning, Apollo and Leechburg. The farmer would be getting 'Cleveland prices' for his sheep, cattle, hides and other articles instead of the remunerative prices of today. If the 50 cent dollar had come prosperity would have fled. You do not want to join a party that does not like to think of its past. You want to shun a party whose leader will favor Bryan abroad and deny his principles at home. You do not want to join a party that grows weaker year after year and whose ancient glory is fast departing.

"Come, take off your coat and go to work for the whole party."

"When your turn comes you can ask the successful men of this year to take off their coats and work for you."

A FILIPINO BULLET.

How Barnett's Life Was Saved by a Testament.

A MAUSER'S COURSE CHANGED.

An Incident Showing the Dangers that Beset the Brave Boys of the Fighting Tenth Pennsylvania Regiment.

"Passing reference has been made to the incident in which Lieutenant Colonel James E. Barnett, of the 'Fighting' Tenth regiment, possibly owed his life to the fact that a Mauser bullet from a Filipino rifle struck a Testament which he carried in his breast pocket and which diverted it from its course so as to let him escape with but a slight abrasion of the skin," says the Philadelphia Inquirer. "In an entertaining chat about some of the experiences which he and some of his comrades passed through in the campaign in Luzon, Captain H. J. Watson, of the Tenth regiment, while at the Hotel Walton last evening, alluded to this narrow escape of Colonel Barnett. As Captain Watson was within a few feet of Colonel Barnett when he was struck, his remarks were especially interesting.

"Captain Watson, who is a resident of Beaver Falls, Pa., was a member of the National Guard for ten years prior to the breaking out of the Spanish-American war. He enlisted with his regiment and served with distinction throughout the campaign in Luzon, both against the Spanish and the in-

surgents. He started out as captain of Company B, but for part of the time during the illness of Captain J. A. Loar, in the campaign of La Loma, he was in command of Company E.

AN EYE WITNESS.

"I have a vivid recollection of the happenings on the day Colonel Barnett was hit," said Captain Watson, as he sat talking to some friends. "We were engaged in a preliminary move of an advance from Lalomas by the Second brigade of the Second division of the Eighth army corps, which included the troops from Pennsylvania, South Dakota and Nebraska. We were formed in line of battle with our left resting at a point beyond the church



CAPTAIN WATSON, Of the Fighting Tenth.

near Calocan. With our column stretching out for about 5,000 yards, we were making a swinging movement, with the line as the radius of a semicircle. We had been driving the insurgents all day, from 5 o'clock in the morning, and had engagements every little while. At first we found the country in good condition, but as we progressed it became very rugged, and the tropical growth thickened and retarded our progress considerably. We at last found ourselves in quite a jungle. There were a series of pell-mell rushes in the forenoon. It was undoubtedly one of the hardest days in our experience as far as this movement was concerned. At a point a little over a mile before reaching Tuliban river, in Manila province, we again encountered the insurgents. They were entrenched behind well constructed earthworks, occupying a commanding position on a small ridge. They opened fire upon us before we were aware of their presence. Colonel Barnett was superintending the disposition of the First battalion of the Tenth Pennsylvania. He was then temporarily in command of Company F. While the firing was on I noticed Colonel Barnett put his hand to his breast. I asked him if he was hit. He did not answer me at once, but, removing a Testament from his breast pocket, he found that it had been penetrated by a Mauser bullet, which, it was afterward disclosed, had been diverted from its course, and striking Colonel Barnett's silver watch was probably again deflected, so that he had a most fortunate escape.

"I have no doubt that had not the Testament been in his pocket Colonel Barnett would have received a serious if not fatal wound. When he hit I was within a few feet of him. After making an examination and finding no serious results from the shot he again replaced the Testament and watch and proceeded to direct the further movements of the troops. This, of course, is but one of the many narrow escapes experienced by our men while under fire."

AS AN EXECUTIVE OFFICER.

"What is your opinion of Colonel Barnett's qualifications as an executive officer?" was asked of Captain Watson.

"As to that," replied the captain, after some deliberation, "I think there can be no question of his entire fitness for any position requiring executive ability. He is a man who has demonstrated his coolness under adverse conditions, and his courage is unquestioned. My experience has taught me that before he ever made a move he carefully considered all points of detail, and having once determined his course, his subsequent actions were logical and effective. We had frequent opportunities to gauge his executive ability while he filled the position of military commander of the district of Cavite. In this district is located the old Spanish naval station and which is now used and operated by our naval forces. The city of Cavite adjoins this station. Lieutenant Colonel Barnett was in command of this district during the illness of the late Colonel Hawkins, who was at the time confined to the hospital at Corregidor. Besides the Tenth Pennsylvania there was assigned to this district under Lieutenant Colonel Barnett two batteries of the California heavy artillery and the First Wyoming artillery."

"Colonel Barnett displayed conspicuous ability as an executive officer in his management of the affairs of this district, which, including the city and adjoining territory, had a population composed almost entirely of natives. He maintained and directed an almost perfect system of sanitary conditions under very adverse circumstances. The town was carefully policed, all the streets were thoroughly swept and cleaned every morning, and the inhabitants were compelled to keep their premises in a healthful condition. Colonel Barnett directed that all the garbage and other refuse be taken in scows a considerable distance out into the bay, thus removing one of the greatest menaces to the health of the community. Under our control we had from 1,000 to 1,200 insurgent prisoners, and his treatment of these captives was considerate and charitable. When beri beri broke out among the prisoners, through Major Neff, our senior surgeon, a hospital for these peculiar cases was established upon Sangley Point, thus removing them completely from the troops and the inhabitants of the district city."

"In the handling of the troops under his command his careful and solicitous attention to the sick and wounded and his untiring and unceasing labors in the cause of the regiment Colonel Barnett has earned the regard and gratitude of his comrades."

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Ar. K'ing Smt.	8:55	7:30	12:25	5:00	7:00
Austin	8:10	7:00	12:00	4:15	6:15
Costello	7:01	11:53	11:53	4:06	6:06
Wharton	6:50	11:42	11:42	3:55	5:55
Cross Fork Jct.	7:47	10:39	10:39	3:46	5:46
Corbett	5:38	10:31	10:31	3:37	5:37
Germania	5:27	10:21	10:21	3:27	5:27
Ar. Galeton	5:20	10:15	10:15	3:20	5:20
Ar. Galeton	7:00	1:00	10:12	6:00	7:00
Gaines	6:47	12:47	8:54	5:47	6:47
Westfield	6:11	12:11	8:16	5:11	6:11
Knoxville	6:40	1:05	8:30	5:40	6:40
Oscoda	5:46	11:46	7:51	5:46	6:46
Elkland	5:41	11:41	7:46	5:41	6:41
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	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Ar. K'ing Smt.	12:40	7:50	9:10	1:00	3:00
Austin	6:40	1:05	8:30	5:40	6:40
Costello	6:50	1:14	8:40	5:50	6:50
Wharton	7:02	1:26	8:52	6:02	7:02
Cross Fork Jct.	7:47	1:29	9:37	6:46	7:47
Corbett	8:14	2:56	9:04	7:13	8:14
Germania	8:25	2:47	8:55	7:04	8:25
Ar. Galeton	8:31	2:53	9:01	7:10	8:31
Ar. Galeton	8:38	2:53	9:01	7:10	8:38
Gaines	8:50	3:06	9:18	7:22	8:50
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Knoxville	9:47	3:56	9:14	8:09	9:47
Oscoda	9:58	4:06	9:24	8:19	9:58
Elkland	10:03	4:11	9:29	8:24	10:03
Ar. Addison	10:34	4:43	9:50	8:55	10:34

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Ar. K'ing Smt.	8:55	7:30	12:25	5:00	7:00
Austin	8:10	7:00	12:00	4:15	6:15
Costello	7:01	11:53	11:53	4:06	6:06
Wharton	6:50	11:42	11:42	3:55	5:55
Cross Fork Jct.	7:47	10:39	10:39	3:46	5:46
Corbett	5:38	10:31	10:31	3:37	5:37
Germania	5:27	10:21	10:21	3:27	5:27
Ar. Galeton	5:20	10:15	10:15	3:20	5:20
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Westfield	6:11	12:11	8:16	5:11	6:11
Knoxville	6:40	1:05	8:30	5:40	6:40
Oscoda	5:46	11:46	7:51	5:46	6:46
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PRESIDENT MCKINLEY.

"I am glad to participate with the families, friends and fellow citizens of the Tenth Pennsylvania volunteers in this glad reunion. You have earned the plaudits not alone of the people of Pennsylvania, but of the whole nation. You made secure and permanent the victory of Dewey. You added new glory to the American arms. Every one of the noble men, of the regulars or volunteers, soldiers or seamen, who thus signally served their country in its extremity (remained in the service after the expiration of their period of their enlistment) deserves the special recognition of congress, and it will be to me an unfeigned pleasure to recommend for each man a special medal of honor. The government to which you gave your love and loyalty welcomes you to your homes. With no blot or stain upon your record, the story of your unselfish service to country and to civilization will be to the men who take your places at the front and on the firing line, and to future generations, an example of patriotism and an inspiration to duty."—President McKinley to Lieut. Col. Barnett and his comrades of the Tenth Pennsylvania volunteers, at Pittsburg.

BARNETT'S TOUR A BIG SUCCESS.

Republican Candidate For State
Treasurer Enthusiastically
Received.

A STRAIGHTFORWARD PLATFORM.

Will Administer the Office For the Benefit of the Whole People.

TO GUARD PUBLIC MONIES.

Will Insist Upon Immediate Payment of
Interest Upon Public Funds and Will
Cash Warrants Promptly.

(Special Correspondence.)

Philadelphia, Oct. 17.—The tour of Colonel Barnett, the Republican nominee for state treasurer, has been a series of popular demonstrations of enthusiasm, and as he proceeds in his canvass the meetings get larger and the ovations more enthusiastic. Many of the scenes witnessed in Roosevelt's whirlwind campaign for governor in the Empire state are being repeated here. The people, regardless of party, are turning out to receive the young soldier fresh from the Philippines, and all indications are that many of them will disregard politics when they vote next month and Democrats and Republicans alike will honor him with their ballots. Colonel Barnett is not a spectacular orator. He does not play to the galleries, but in a straightforward, matter of fact way he discusses the issues and tells the people just what he will do in the event of his election. He spoke plainly as to the office of state treasurer in a recent speech.

BARNETT'S PLATFORM.

In this address, among other things he said:

"The platform adopted by the Pennsylvania Republican state convention is the best that has been promulgated in any commonwealth of this republic. If I shall be elected to the office of state treasurer I shall ask no better rule for my guidance than the enunciations of that platform. Under those principles I shall hold the position for the whole people, irrespective of party. It shall be my duty, and it will be so fulfilled, as an accounting officer of the state, to aid in the prompt collection of taxes and claims, the prompt settlement of all accounts against delinquents, whether individuals, companies or corporations, without fear or favor, for the purpose of maintaining the credit of the state by promptly paying, under due warrants of law, all claims and appropriations. And especially for facilitating and carrying on the work of our grand free school system in every district, no matter how small or how remote.

"The Republican party has placed upon our statute books a law which compels bankers to pay interest on daily balances of deposit of state money. That interest shall be promptly collected and applied, under provisions of law, to the obligations of the commonwealth.

ALL



SECRETARY OF STATE HAY.

"It is the duty of every Republican, no matter in what state he may live, to go to the polls next month and support the nominees of his party, and by so doing assist in bringing about a sweeping Republican triumph throughout the country. Nothing could be more gratifying to the Republican national administration and nothing could give more encouragement to the president in carrying out the policies he has outlined. Enemies of the country and the political opponents of our party would rejoice over a falling off of the Republican vote this fall. No more patriotic duty can be performed by Republican citizens than going to the polls and casting a straight Republican ballot and by getting their neighbors to do likewise. Next year's presidential contest is already under way. Republicans should be on the alert."—Secretary of State Hay, in recent interview.

SOLDIERS ARE DELIGHTED.

The soldiers who are with Colonel Barnett on his tour are all delighted with the ovations that the party are receiving at every stopping point. Major Killian, of the First Nebraska, who was with Barnett in the Philippines, and who came east to help him in his canvass, makes a rattling campaign orator. He says the people of Pennsylvania are most patriotic and that from what he has seen and heard on this trip he is confident that Colonel Barnett will be elected by an immense majority.

The Barnett party are due at Reading tonight, Lancaster tomorrow night, West Chester on Friday and Media in the afternoon and Chester in the evening on Saturday next.

For the following week this is the schedule: Monday, 23d, reception in Philadelphia; Tuesday, 24th, Indiana; Wednesday, 25th, Kittanning, Armstrong county; Thursday, 26th, New Castle, Lawrence county; Friday, 27th, Franklin, Venango county, and Saturday, 28th, Erie. They will open the last week of the canvass at Warren, Warren county, on Monday, Oct. 30; on Tuesday, 31st, they are due at Bradford, McKean county; Wednesday, Nov. 1, at Williamsport. They are to be given a reception by the Penrose club, of Philadelphia, on Friday, Nov. 3, and by the Young Republicans of Philadelphia on Saturday, Nov. 4. This schedule is subject to a few changes. The Dauphin county Republicans insist upon Colonel Barnett visiting Harrisburg on the last Saturday of the canvass.

General Gobin has another party of spellbinders, who are at work daily. They are booked for Brookville this evening, Kittanning tomorrow afternoon and Butler in the evening, and Franklin on Thursday and Greenville, Mercer county, on Friday. They go to Meadville next Saturday. This party is accompanied by the Tenth Regiment Glee club, which is making a big hit wherever meetings are held.

AGUINALDO'S PRAYER.

Insurgents' Solicitude For Their
Party Disgusts Loyal Penn-
sylvania Democrats.

CREASY'S UNPOPULARITY.

Official Election Returns Which Show That
He Does Not Stand Well With
His Neighbors.

(Special Correspondence.)

Harrisburg, Oct. 17.—Make a note of the date—Election day, Tuesday, November 7.

All good Republicans will bear this in mind. This is going to be a great year in national politics. The result of the elections in the several states next month will be watched not only by the people of the United States, but by the nations of the world. The issue of the foreign policy of the McKinley administration is inseparably connected with the canvass in every state in which there is to be an election, and the returns will be watched and reviewed with particular reference to their bearing upon the national administration.

Nothing that has occurred in politics since the last presidential election has created as much talk as the proclamation of Aguinaldo to his followers, in which he said:

"In America there is a great party that insists upon the government recognizing Filipino independence. We must show gratitude and maintain our position more resolutely than ever. We should pray to God that the great Democratic party may win the next presidential election."

This declaration from the ringleader of the insurgents has attracted widespread attention, and Democrats who are loyal to their government are disgusted with the position in which their leaders have placed them and their party. They will refuse to vote the Democratic ticket this fall.

There is every reason why every Republican should go to the polls on

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SECRETARY OF WAR ROOT.

"Republicanism this year means, as it has ever meant, loyalty to our country, belief in the inviolability of public faith, an unflinching adherence to honest government and honest money, and an undying devotion to the honor and integrity of the flag, wherever it floats, carried by our soldiers or sailors on land or sea. This year all these qualities are accentuated in a marked degree, and the Republican who fails to go to the polls and cast a stalwart Republican ballot will ever regret having failed to take advantage of one of the grandest opportunities of his life to show his devotion to and practical and timely allegiance to the party, which means so much to the continued welfare of our people. The greater the Republican vote this fall the greater will be the incentive to Republican leaders to prepare for the great national struggle next year."—Secretary of War Root, in a recent interview.

election day and vote the entire party ticket, from top to bottom. There never was a time when a national administration deserved more thoroughly the hearty and cordial support of the party organization to which it naturally looks for endorsement.

The best way to endorse the administration at Washington is to go to the polls on Nov. 7 and vote the whole Republican ticket, and no Republican should omit the performance of that duty.

CREASY NOT POPULAR.

The candidacy of W. T. Creasy, the Democratic nominee for state treasurer, represents the radical wing of the Democratic party. He is being ardently supported by his fellow silverites and by that element of the party which is publicly proclaiming against President McKinley and his administration. Many of them are co-operating with the Atkinson movement, which is giving encouragement to the insurgents in the Philippines by the circulation of treasonable literature and otherwise attempting to create sentiment against the policy of the president.

Creasy himself is cutting a small figure in the canvass. He is getting speeches into the Democratic and assistant Democratic papers, which are being prepared for him, and is talking a great deal about what he knows very little.

Following up its arraignment of Creasy upon his antagonistic attitude toward the old soldiers, comes a plain, matter-of-fact statement from the editor of the Columbia Republican, published at Creasy's home, which tells its own story as to his popularity with his neighbors. This is what it says in this week's issue, under the caption, "What the Official Vote Demonstrates:"

In 1894 W. T. Creasy was a candidate for the legislature the first time in Columbia county, and was elected. His majority compared with Singler's is as follows: Singler had 1,334 majority over Hastings, Creasy had 1,010 majority, or 324 less than Singler.

In 1896 Creasy was a candidate for the second term. Bryan had that year 1,542 majority over McKinley and Creasy had 1,091 majority, or 451 less than Bryan.

In 1898 Creasy was a candidate for the third term. Jenks had 2,127 majority over Stone and Creasy had 1,404 majority, of 723 less than Jenks.

This is the verdict which his neighbors and acquaintances registered on three different occasions.

The campaign which is being made in the interest of Creasy has been a veritable fiasco.

An interview with former Republican State Chairman Gilkeson, of Bucks county, published in the New York Tribune, has attracted some comment.

"Only a few years ago," said Mr. Gilkeson, "40,000 was considered a normal majority in Pennsylvania. Since the Democratic factions have become so bitter the better element of their party has come over, so that Pennsylvania may be put down as normal at 150,000. The 300,000 majority may be drawing the line a little too far, but still in a national campaign the steady business Democrats who want no nonsense in politics can be counted on either to vote the Republican ticket or not to vote at all.

"I notice one thing in our district, and I think it is growing everywhere—that is the more active part taken by the farmers in political matters. They are beginning to wake up to the fact that manufacturers are not the only producers of toil and skill to be safeguarded by putting the right party and principles in authority. They begin to realize that the great staples, cereals, dairy and meat products, cattle, sheep and hogs, and now chickens and eggs, are not articles of sale on market days or by street hucksters only in cities, towns and villages, but have become the leading articles of export to Europe. That being the fact a stable financial system, based on the coin of commerce, becomes as important to them as it is to the business interests of the country at large, if it wishes to maintain its lead in the commercial affairs of the world.

"The farmers are finding this out. I only hope the Democrats will continue the folly of the Chicago platform

FOR



SECRETARY OF NAVY LONG.

"It is the indifferent and stay-at-home voter that the party managers should direct their attention to this fall. These are the men who are so preoccupied with their business interests that they frequently do not appreciate the importance of a political campaign until after the election returns are announced. Then, if the result is not as they desired, they feel the sting of remorse and realize the result of their own negligence. This fall there is more than usual danger to the Republican party from the indifferent citizen. Our prosperous conditions naturally divert the minds of many from matters of public moment. The party workers should single out these voters and at the proper time see that they go to the polls. If they get them there, we need have no fear of them voting the Democratic ticket. The thing to do is to get them there—the intelligence of the voter will do the rest."—Secretary Long, in a recent interview.

of 1896, just to let them see how public sentiment has progressed even beyond the thrashing they had in that year.

"The Democrats have not even a ghost of a show in this state. Barnett will get the full Republican vote, if not more."

"It looks as if we will have a full vote out. The people feel the enthusiasm of the return of the Tenth Pennsylvania and the Dewey welcome, and have not forgotten the Grand Army encampment and other ceremonies which arouse patriotism. I think Pennsylvanians feel that the eyes of the whole country are upon them, and notwithstanding that it is an off year in politics they must set the pace of majorities for the McKinley campaign of 1900. I think our people will give an expansion Dewey parade majority which the people of the sister states will not fail to understand."

ON THE FIRING LINE.

Stalwart Republican Editors in the
Pennsylvania Campaign.

HOT SHOT FOR THE ENEMY.

They Lead the Advance For the Battle
of the Ballots on Tuesday,
November 7.

The control of the Democratic party, in the national and state organizations, says the Citizen Press, of Franklin, Pa., is in the hands of the disreputable and anarchistic element, which is placing the honest, intelligent and patriotic Democrats in a false position, so long as they silently permit their names to be used as the supports of the platform erected and the policy expressed by the Altgelds, Bryans and other "statesmen" who assume to speak for the party. However, one by one of the heretofore prominent Democrats are placing themselves on record as opposed to the copperheadism which is manifested by the rabid leaders of the party and will emphasize their protests by voting the Republican ticket in November, hoping by such action to relegate to the rear the wild eye repudiationists now in control, and thereby save the party organization for the future. This course seems to be the only one open for them to pursue at this time and maintain their self respect.

Ex-Governor Pattison, of this state, is the latest to repudiate the policy laid down for the government of the party by Altgeld and Bryan, points out that patriotism is higher than party. "My duty as an American citizen," says he, "commands my support of the country's president at this juncture. When the president said in his Pittsburg speech that the Philippines were just as much American soil as were Texas and Alaska he spoke the truth. The islands are ours by title of treaty, and we have no title to Louisiana or Alaska except that confirmed by treaty. As they are ours, we are bound to see them pacified, to set up law and order in their midst."

This is the solemn fact, and people who throw obstacles in the way of the pacification of the Philippines are aiding and abetting the rebellion, and those Democrats who are of the same opinion should show their patriotism by voting the Republican ticket this fall. It is the only way to make themselves effective. Votes count.

A REPUBLICAN YEAR.

"This ought to be an easy year for Republican success. It does not require oral or written argument to induce men to vote the Republican ticket," says the Everett (Pa.) Press. "Argument and appeals fall on listless ears in the face of well known facts. When free traders cry out that the tariff robs you, the laborer answers with a shrug, 'Well, under your free trade we had no work and nothing of which to be robbed. Now, under protection, work is plenty, wages are good, or at least good in comparison with Democratic times, and we have plenty to eat, clothes to wear, and can send our children to school.' The tramp

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GOVERNOR ROOSEVELT.

"Are the people so short sighted that they forget the miseries of six years ago? Do they forget the bread riots, the squalid want even of those able and anxious to work? We cannot by any laws bring happiness and prosperity to every one, but we can do what the Republican party has done; that is, by wise legislation and wise administration secure the chance for the bulk of our people to live out their lives and do their work with the odds as much as possible in their favor. This is a national contest. We appeal not merely to party, but beyond party; we appeal to all good citizens, to all patriotic Americans, to stand with us as we uphold the financial integrity and the conditions which stand for material prosperity at home, as we uphold the honor of the flag and the interests of the nation abroad."—Governor Roosevelt, in his recent Akron, O., speech.

days of Democratic ascendancy are over. When they tell you that free silver will bring greater prosperity, the answer is, well let well enough alone; you have fooled us already too often to our sorrow; we will want more than theories now to induce us to leave the party under whose sway we have received and are enjoying the present good things. No Mr. Democracy for us."

FARMERS AND THE TARIFF.

"The American farmers should be pretty well satisfied with the new tariff law," remarks the Wilkesbarre Times. "Here is the official record of the exportation of leading farm products in the last year of the Dingley law, compared with those of the last year of the Wilson law:

Wilson Law.	Dingley Law.
Fiscal Year 1897.	Fiscal Year 1899.
Breadstuffs all.....\$197,855,219	\$273,959,699
Wheat.....59,929,178	104,239,736
Flour.....58,912,247	73,093,870
Corn, bushels.....176,916,365	174,089,094
Oats, bushels.....25,096,730	20,339,680
Rye, bushels.....8,560,271	10,140,876
Oatmeal, pounds.....47,310,151	58,042,505
Provisions.....138,652,736	175,568,066
Live animals.....43,569,461	37,869,916
Cotton, bales.....6,176,365	7,373,163
Cottonseed oil, gal.....27,198,882	59,627,213

"And this is the sort of prosperity the Democrats condemned at their last county convention."

DON'T FORGET THE DATE.

Free trade and soup houses. Protection and prosperity. We had the first under Democratic rule and prosperity came with Republican success," says the Franklin (Pa.) Citizen-Press. "Vote to continue the latter party in power, on Tuesday, Nov. 7. Don't forget the date."

THE STATE ISSUES.

A Good Man to Administer the Office of
State Treasurer.

"Republicans are not afraid to take up the state issues or to discuss the necessity for Governor Stone's action in cutting down the most liberal item in the budget so as to make expenditures in income balance each other," says the Wilkesbarre Times. "We have already been too liberal at the expense of the state treasury, and if the action of the governor will draw attention to this subject he will have performed a public service. Money gotten by indirect taxation is apt to be lavishly spent, and we know something of this lavish expenditure by many of the school boards and townships in our own county."

"Nor are we afraid to discuss the management of the treasurer's office. Under the new laws there is no possibility of wrong doing, and the method of depository, together with the payment of interest to be turned into the treasury, makes everything so plain that only a reputable business man is required for the position of custodian. We have such a man in Lieutenant Colonel Barnett, the Republican candidate, who besides possessing all qualifications named is all right on the protective system, an advocate of sound money and a supporter of the McKinley administration. This is the man for the times, and the people of Pennsylvania will undoubtedly say so on the 7th of November."

THE AMERICAN REPUBLIC.

Significant Address by Archbishop Ireland
as to the Philippines.

Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul, was shown much attention during his recent visit to Pennsylvania. This distinguished prelate is a staunch Republican. In an address which he made at the banquet of the Marquette club, of Chicago, given in honor of President McKinley on his trip west, in response to the toast "The American Republic," Archbishop Ireland, among other things, said:

"The American republic is the best form of organized democracy revealed in humanity's history; as such she claims homage from her own citizens; as such she draws to herself the attention of the world."

"And surely there has been in America no lowering of the highest standard of patriotism. Where is the country at whose call for heroes citizens with such speed, with such forgetfulness of self and in such numbers rally

PARTY



REPUBLICAN CHAIRMAN HANNA.

"There is no doubt that the state elections this fall will be taken as an index of the sentiment of the American people upon the issues of the approaching national campaign. It is, therefore, important that every Republican vote shall be cast in November for the candidates on the Republican state tickets in Ohio, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, Iowa and other states in which there are local contests for important offices. All our Republican majorities this year should be as large as possible to emphasize the popular feeling. The industrial conditions and the Philippine war will prove factors in the coming campaign. The Philippine war has been made an issue by the Democratic party, but we have nothing to fear. I would as lief have so-called anti-expansion made an issue as I would have the silver question, for silver is an old man of the sea. I am not afraid of the outcome among the people. They will not, I believe, by their own act, change the condition of the country. Republicans everywhere should go to the polls this fall."—Republican National Chairman Hanna, in recent interview.

to the flag? Defeat is unknown in America; defeat is impossible in America.

"We proclaim that in Asia, as in America, the American flag means liberty and all the blessings that go with liberty. Some say it means in Asia the repression of liberty."

"It means in Asia order restored, and it must be restored; the flag of America may be trusted to be for the Philippines the harbinger and guardian of the liberty and the rights of the people."

AN HONORABLE RECORD

Review of the Career of Hon.
Josiah R. Adams.

ABLE AND UPRIGHT LAWYER

The Republican Nominee For Justice of
the Superior Court of Pennsylvania,
Who Is One of the Leading Cit-
izens of the Quaker City.

Owing to his determination not to take the stump, but to adhere to the precedent of candidates for the judiciary not making a political canvass, the citizens of Pennsylvania, says a special dispatch from Philadelphia, will not have an opportunity until after the election of meeting one of the most polished and accomplished gentlemen, Hon. Josiah R. Adams, the Republican nominee for the superior court. He is well and favorably known in the Quaker City and by members of his profession throughout the commonwealth. Like the Republican nominee for state treasurer, Colonel Barnett, Mr. Adams is a son of a clergyman. His father, Rev. Ezra E. Adams, D. D., was of Puritan stock, and was engaged in the missionary service of the American and Foreign Christian Union, and it was while his parents were in Havre, France, that Josiah R. Adams was born. After his labors on the continent were finished Dr. Adams came to Philadelphia and founded the North Broad Street Presbyterian church. Josiah was then only 10 years old. He attended the Friends' school on Spring Garden street and subsequently attended the select school in the building of the Presbyterian Board of Publication, on Chestnut street. Afterwards he attended different institutions and was graduated from Princeton college in 1873, winning a gold medal in each of the four years of his course. He was admitted to the bar in 1874 and quickly became a successful practitioner, particularly in the civil courts.

"In his early legal career Mr. Adams became a counselor in bankruptcy, commercial and maritime law. Upon many occasions he served under appointment of the courts as examiner, auditor and receiver. As receiver of the Penn Safe Deposit and Trust company he collected \$86,000 for the depositors by suits against the Spring Garden National bank and the directors. He is receiver for Pennsylvania for the Granite State Provident association. As auditor of the Remington estate he supervised the distribution of a quarter of a million dollars. A notable case won by him was that of Worrell vs. Bailey, in the courts of Mifflin county, this state, in which he succeeded in having overturned a decree for valuable property on the ground that it was obtained without consideration. He has a large practice, and is a director of the Lawyers' club, of Philadelphia. He was one of the founders of the University club, and is a member of the Art club, Philadelphia Yacht club, Clover club, the Knights Templar, Ancient Order of United Workmen, Randal Arcanum and other organizations. He is accounted one of the best informed attorneys of Philadelphia and a most skilled practitioner. In addition to these requirements Mr. Adams is a literature who has given much study to the literary productions of the authors of the day, and who is thoroughly familiar with the productions of all the best authors.